

JOURNAL OF THE SENATE

Monday, May 31, 1937

The Senate convened at 10:00 o'clock A. M. pursuant to adjournment on Saturday, May 29, 1937.

The President in the Chair.

The roll was called and the following Senators answered to their names:

Mr. President; Senators Adams, Beacham, Beall, Black, Butler, Clarke, Dame, Dugger, Gomez, Graham, Hinely, Hodges, Holland, Johns, Kanner, Kelly, Kendrick, McArthur, McKenzie, Mapoles, Murphy, Nordman, Parker, Parrish, Rose, Savage, Sharit, Smith, Sweger, Tervin, Tillman, Touchton, Walker, Westbrook, Wynn—36.

A quorum present.

Senator Harper was excused from attendance upon the Session on account of illness.

Prayer by the Chaplain.

The reading of the Journal of May 28, 1937, was dispensed with.

The Journal of May 28, 1937, was corrected as follows:

Page 8, column 2, between lines 16 and 17 from the bottom insert the following: "Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote."

Page 29, column 1, between lines 21 and 22 from the bottom insert the following: "So the bill failed to pass."

The reading of the Journal of May 29, 1937, was dispensed with.

The Journal of May 29, 1937, was corrected and as corrected was approved.

REPORTS OF COMMITTEES

Senator Hodges, Chairman of the Committee on Miscellaneous, submitted the following report:

Senate Chamber,
Tallahassee, Fla., May 31, 1937.

Hon. D. Stuart Gillis,
President of the Senate.
Sir:

Your Committee on Miscellaneous, to whom was referred:

Senate Bill No. 1081:

A bill to be entitled An Act to amend Sections 9 and 16 of Chapter 14832, Acts of 1931, entitled "An Act to provide for a State Racing Commission to prescribe its powers and duties, and to fix the compensation of its members; to provide for holding referendum and recall elections in any county to determine whether racing shall be permitted or continued therein; to provide for licensing and taxing such racing and apportioning the moneys derived therefrom among the several counties of the State to provide for and regulate the making of pari mutuel pools within the enclosure of licensed race tracks; providing certain penalties for the violation of this Act, and for other purposes relating thereto," and providing a tax upon the "breaks" arising from the distribution of pari mutuel pools.

Have had the same under consideration, and recommend that the same do not pass.

Very respectfully,
Wm. C. HODGES,
Chairman of Committee.

And Senate Bill No. 1081, contained in the above report, was laid on the table.

Senator Walker, Chairman of the Committee on Pensions and Claims, submitted the following report:

Senate Chamber,
Tallahassee, Fla., May 31, 1937.

Hon. D. Stuart Gillis,
President of the Senate.
Sir:

Your Committee on Pensions and Claims, to whom was referred:

House Bill No. 286:

A bill to be entitled An Act providing for an allowance

in the form of a pension of Twenty-Five Dollars monthly to Miss Ada Cooper Law and making an appropriation to take care of such an allowance or pension.

Have had the same under consideration, and recommend that the same do pass.

Very respectfully,
H. N. WALKER,
Chairman of Committee.

And House Bill No. 286, contained in the above report, was placed on the Calendar of Bills on second reading.

REPORT OF ENROLLING COMMITTEE

Senator McKenzie, Chairman of the Joint Committee on Enrolled Bills on the part of the Senate, submitted the following report:

Senate Chamber,
Tallahassee, Fla., May 31, 1937.

Hon. D. Stuart Gillis,
President of the Senate.
Sir:

Your Joint Committee on Enrolled Bills, to whom was referred:

Senate Bill No. 74:

A bill to be entitled An Act granting a pension to Jane Hogans of Hamilton County, Florida, widow of A. H. Hogans, Sr.

Also—

Senate Bill No. 267:

A bill to be entitled An Act to grant a pension to Mrs. Ellen Daughtry of Suwannee County, Florida.

Also—

Senate Bill No. 318:

A bill to be entitled An Act to cancel of Record Tax Certificates for the year 1920 and prior years thereto in counties having a population of not less than thirteen thousand three hundred and not exceeding thirteen thousand three hundred and sixty.

Also—

Senate Bill No. 401:

A bill to be entitled An Act relating to pensions and to provide that the widow of any person entitled to pension by reason of service in and for the Confederate States during the War Between the States shall not be debarred from pension on account of remarriage.

Also—

Senate Bill No. 465:

A bill to be entitled An Act granting a pension to Mrs. Anna Berry of Suwannee County, Florida.

Also—

Senate Bill No. 483:

A bill to be entitled An Act providing for the cancellation and release of all State, Dade County and Okeechobee Flood Control District Tax Sale Certificates and all Outstanding Tax Sale Certificates held and owned by the State of Florida, Dade County Okeechobee Flood Control District, on and over Lots 1, 2, 3, and 4, block "C," of Highland Park, according to the plat thereof recorded in Plat Book 2 at page 13 of the Public Records of Dade County, Florida.

Also—

Senate Bill No. 649:

A bill to be entitled An Act for the relief of Memorial Presbyterian Church of West Palm Beach, Palm Beach County, Florida; providing for the cancellation of certain State of Florida, County of Palm Beach and City of West Palm Beach taxes upon the property of said church and for other purposes.

Also—

Senate Bill No. 815:

A bill to be entitled An Act relating to the hunting of game in the State of Florida, on Sunday, in the counties of this State having a population of not less than 12,900 and not more than 13,000, according to the State's census of 1935, and providing for the violation thereof.

Also—

Senate Bill No. 976:

A bill to be entitled An Act providing for the distribution and use of three-fourths of the surplus monies in any account of any county of the State of Florida having a population, according to the last preceding State Census of not less than 16,900 nor more than 17,000, except sinking fund accounts, after such application as is provided in Chapter 14486, Laws of Florida, Acts of 1929, as the same has heretofore been amended; provided, that such surplus shall be remitted to the State Road Department to the extent and as herein provided for use as herein provided.

Have examined the same and find them correctly enrolled.

The same having been duly signed by the Speaker and Chief Clerk of the House of Representatives, we herewith present the same for the signature of the President and Secretary of the Senate.

Very respectfully,

H. S. McKENZIE,

Chairman of the Joint Committee on Enrolled Bills on the Part of the Senate.

The bills contained in the above report were thereupon duly signed by the President and Secretary of the Senate in open Session and ordered referred to the Joint Committee on Enrolled Bills on the part of the Senate, to be conveyed to the Governor for his approval.

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Tallahassee, Fla., May 31, 1937.

Hon. D. Stuart Gillis,
President of the Senate.
Sir:

Your Joint Committee on Enrolled Bills, to whom was referred:

House Bill No. 838:

A bill to be entitled An Act fixing the compensation of the County Commissioners of counties of the State of Florida having a population not less than thirty thousand seven hundred and not more than thirty thousand eight hundred according to the 1935 State Census.

Also—

Committee Substitute for House Bill No. 1126:

A bill to be entitled An Act providing that the property and debentures of housing authorities shall be exempt from taxation and assessments and authorizing certain payments in lieu of such taxes and assessments.

Also—

Committee Substitute for House Bill No. 1127:

A bill to be entitled An Act to declare the necessity of creating public bodies corporate and politic to be known as housing authorities to undertake slum clearance and projects to provide dwelling accommodations for persons of low income; to create such housing authorities in cities having a population of more than 5,000, to define the powers and duties of housing authorities and to provide for the exercise of such powers, including acquiring property, borrowing money, issuing debentures and other obligations, and giving security therefor; to provide that housing authorities may obtain validation of their obligations and proceedings; and to confer remedies on obligees of housing authorities.

Also—

Committee Substitute for House Bill No. 1128:

A bill to be entitled An Act to authorize cities, towns, counties, and other public bodies and subdivisions to aid housing projects of housing authorities or of the United States of America by conveying or dedicating property, by furnishing parks, playgrounds, streets, roads, water, sewer or drainage facilities and other improvements and facilities, by exercising

certain other powers and by making agreements relating to such aid; to authorize cities, towns, counties and other public bodies and subdivisions to contract with respect to the sums to be paid them for improvements, services and facilities to be provided for the benefit of housing projects and to purchase debentures of housing authorities; to require certain cities to make an appropriation for the first year's administrative expenses of housing authorities; and to authorize certain cities, towns and counties to pay moneys to housing authorities.

Also—

House Bill No. 1152:

A bill to be entitled An Act fixing the compensation of members of the Boards of Public Instruction in all counties of the State of Florida having a population of not less than seven thousand one hundred fifty (7,150) nor more than seven thousand two hundred (7,200), according to the State Census of 1935, and prescribing the fund from which such compensation shall be paid.

Also—

House Bill No. 1313:

A bill to be entitled An Act relating to the compensation of the Clerk of the Circuit Court for services performed in suits or proceedings Civil Chancery and Criminal before the Circuit and County Courts in all counties of the State of Florida having a population of not less than nine thousand two hundred and fifty and not more than nine thousand seven hundred and seventy-five according to the official State Census of 1935.

Also—

House Bill No. 1447:

A bill to be entitled An Act to repeal 15899, Laws of Florida, Acts of 1933, same being an Act to fix the salaries of the members of the Board of Public Instruction of and in Sumter County, Florida, to authorize the payment thereof of such salary or salaries thereof in monthly installments, to further provide a penalty for the violation of this Act.

Also—

House Bill No. 1451:

A bill to be entitled An Act to repeal Chapter 15923, Laws of Florida, Acts of 1933, same being an Act to fix the salaries of the Clerk of the Board of County Commissioners of Sumter County, Florida, and/or the Clerk of the Circuit Court of Sumter County, Florida, as Clerk Ex-officio of the County Commissioners of Sumter County, Florida, to authorize the payment of such salary in monthly installments, providing penalties for the violation of this Act, to prohibit the payment of any fee or fees or other reimbursement for any work, service or labor except as provided for payment by this Act, and provide for the enforcement of this Act.

Also—

House Bill No. 1452:

A bill to be entitled An Act to enlarge the powers, duties and authority of the City Council of the City of Titusville; to authorize said City Council to act as a City Adjustment Board; to authorize and empower said Council to compromise, abate, relinquish, adjust and settle any and all City Taxes for the year 1936 and prior years and any and all City Assessments and other liens belonging to said City, including, without restriction, any and all interest, fees, costs and penalties thereon; and to authorize said Council to prescribe the manner and time of payment of any such adjusted amount; and to authorize said City Council to sell, assign, transfer and set over any and all liens owned by said City for any and all Taxes and Assessments, and to prescribe the rights of purchasers.

Also—

House Bill No. 1448:

A bill to be entitled An Act to repeal Chapter 15730, Laws of Florida, Acts of 1931, same being an Act fixing the compensation of the Board of County Commissioners in all counties of the State of Florida having a population of more than ten thousand six hundred forty and less than twelve thousand, and designating the fund out of which said compensation shall be paid.

Also—

House Bill No. 1453:

A bill to be entitled An Act to repeal Chapter 15951, Laws

of Florida, Acts of 1933, same being An Act to fix the salaries of the members of the Board of County Commissioners of Sumter County, Florida, to authorize the payment thereof of such salary or salaries thereof in monthly installments, to further provide a penalty for the violation of this Act.

Also—

House Bill No. 1454:

A bill to be entitled An Act to repeal Chapter 15978, Laws of Florida, Acts of 1933, same being An Act providing for the compensation of the County Tax Assessor, County Tax Collector, County Judge, Superintendent of Public Instruction, Clerk of the Circuit Court, Sheriff of Sumter County, Florida, providing that all fees collected and paid by such officers be paid into a Special Fund to be known as the "County Officers' Fund" and that all such officers to be compensated from such fund, and the expenses of their respective offices to be paid from such fund, and providing for the budgeting of all expenses of all such officers, and providing the duty of the County Commissioners of Sumter County, Florida.

Also—

House Bill No. 1456:

A bill to be entitled An Act to repeal Chapter 16108, Laws of Florida, Acts of 1933, same being an Act prescribing additional duties of the prosecuting attorney in the county court in and for Sumter County, Florida, and providing a penalty to comply with same.

Also—

House Bill No. 1457:

A bill to be entitled An Act cancelling all municipal taxes and paying held by the City of Inverness, Florida, for unpaid municipal taxes and paying upon certain real estate situate in the City of Inverness, Florida, and now owned by Allen Rawls Post No. 77, American Legion, Department of Florida, and in this Act described, and exempting said real estate from municipal taxes so long as same is used by Allen Rawls Post No. 77, American Legion, Department of Florida.

Also—

House Bill No. 1460:

A bill to be entitled An Act to repeal Chapter 15056, Laws of Florida, Acts of 1931, the same being an Act directing the Board of County Commissioners, the Tax Collector and/or the Clerk of the Court or any City Council or City Commissioners of all counties having a population of not less than ten thousand nor more than eleven thousand according to the 1930 United States Census for Florida, to accept and exchange of bonds or delinquent interest coupons or other delinquent obligations of all counties having a population of not less than ten thousand and not more than eleven thousand according to the 1930 United States Census of Florida districts in such counties and municipalities in such counties at par in the redemption of lands from tax sales and in payment of delinquent taxes due to the same or in payment of all current taxes except that part of the State of Florida assessed and collected in such counties.

Also—

House Bill No. 1467:

A bill to be entitled An Act to ratify, validate and confirm certain Acts of the Trustees of Special Tax School District No. 3, and of the Board of Public Instruction of Martin County, Florida, in connection with the purchase and acquisition of a certain school property and building at Hobe Sound, heretofore used and now being used for school purposes, and to ratify payments made and credits allowed upon the purchase price thereof.

Also—

House Bill No. 1473:

A bill to be entitled An Act to repeal Chapter 14722, Laws of Florida, Acts of 1931, same being An Act to require the County Judge and/or Tax Collector of all counties having a population of not less than ten thousand and not more than eleven thousand according to the 1930 United States census of Florida, proposing and collecting a license tax for the privilege of fishing and hunting in all such counties in addition to assessing and collecting of a like tax now imposed for the privilege of hunting and fishing in any county in the State of Florida and providing that such fund, when so collected, shall be deposited in and to

the fund to be known as the County Game and Fish Fund, and to provide for the employment of a Game Warden or Wardens out of such fund for the enforcement of the Fish and Game Laws in such counties, and to provide penalties for the violation of this Act, providing that said Act shall not apply to or effect Pasco County, Florida.

Also—

House Bill No. 1475:

A bill to be entitled An Act amending Chapter 15088, Acts of the Legislature of Florida of 1931, entitled "An Act to provide for the creation of a municipal corporation to be known as the Town of Boynton Beach, in Palm Beach County, Florida, to fix and determine the territorial limits thereof, the jurisdiction and powers of said town and its officers; to provide for the organization and government thereof; to determine and fix respective rights and liabilities of the existing Town of Boynton and the Town of Boynton Beach, as created by this Act, in respect to the existing indebtedness of the present Town of Boynton and public property owned by the existing Town of Boynton; and authorizing the issuance of bonds of the Town of Boynton Beach to refund its proportion of the bonded indebtedness of the existing Town of Boynton assumed by it under this Act," changing the name of said Town of Boynton Beach, Palm Beach County, Florida, to Ocean Ridge, Palm Beach County, Florida, and providing for a referendum.

Also—

House Bill No. 1476:

A bill to be entitled An Act to repeal Chapter 15969, Laws of Florida, Acts of 1933, same being An Act to amend Senate Bill 762 passed at the Regular Session of the 1933 Session of the Florida Legislature providing "An Act providing for the compensation of the County Tax Assessor, County Tax Collector, Superintendent of Public Instruction, Clerk of the Circuit Court, Sheriff of Sumter County, Florida, providing that all fees collected and paid by such officers be paid into a Special Fund to be known as the County Officers' Fund and that all such officers to be compensated from such fund and the expenses of their respective offices to be paid from such fund; and providing for the budgeting of all expenses of all such officers, and providing the duty of a County Commissioner of Sumter County, Florida."

Also—

House Bill No. 1497:

A bill to be entitled An Act declaring the hunting of game and game birds, in Gilchrist County, Florida, on Sunday, to be unlawful, and providing a penalty for the violation hereof, and providing for an election hereon.

Also—

House Bill No. 1557:

A bill to be entitled An Act to provide for the cancellation and release of Hillsborough County, and City of Tampa Tax Sale Certificates, Tax Assessments and Liens and Tax Deeds issued to and owned by Hillsborough County, or City of Tampa, on or over Lot 19 of the Barmac Subdivision, a Resubdivision of Lots 1 and 2 of Block 16, of Oakford Subdivision, according to map or plat thereof as same appears of record in Plat Book 11, on Page 61, of the Public Records of Hillsborough County, Florida.

Also—

House Bill No. 1561:

A bill to be entitled An Act to amend Section Fifty-five of Chapter 9692 of the Laws of Florida, Acts of 1923, being "An Act to incorporate the City of Bradentown, in Manatee County, Florida, and to provide for its government and prescribe its jurisdiction and powers and to abolish the present corporation of the City of Bradentown, in Manatee County, Florida," by providing an additional method of amending said Charter, and repealing all laws and parts of laws in conflict herewith.

Also—

House Bill No. 1562:

A bill to be entitled An Act authorizing and empowering the Board of County Commissioners of all counties of the State of Florida, having a population of not less than 14,554 and not more than 14,560, according to the State Census of 1935; to eliminate from the fiscal budget of said counties the fund known and designated as "Bond Construction

fund," and to rebudget said fund and transfer and distribute same to the maintenance funds of the road districts of said counties entitled to participate therein; and authorizing and empowering said board to amend the fiscal budget for any year at any time by re-budgeting and re-apportioning any fund set up therein; and to repeal all laws or parts of laws in conflict herewith.

Also—

House Bill No. 1568:

A bill to be entitled An Act authorizing and empowering the Boards of County Commissioners of counties having a population of not less than 14,554 and not more than 14,560, according to the State Census of 1935, to sell certain bonds and coupons at public or private sale, and granting to said boards the authority and power to accept refunding obligations, with authority to make concessions and compromises in regard thereto.

Also—

House Bill No. 1599:

A bill to be entitled An Act ratifying, confirming validating and legalizing the assessments, valuations of properties and levy of taxes by the City of DeLand, a municipality located in Volusia County, in this State, for the years 1931, 1932, 1933, 1934, 1935 and 1936, and authorizing the collection of said taxes.

Also—

House Bill No. 1756:

A bill to be entitled An Act relating to the City of West Palm Beach in Palm Beach County, Florida, and to amend Sections 58, 130, 133 and 134 of Chapter 16759, Special Laws of Florida, Acts of 1933, entitled: "An Act to create and establish a taxing district to be known as the District of West Palm Beach in Palm Beach County, Florida; to legalize and validate the ordinances of the former City of West Palm Beach in Palm Beach County, Florida, so far as the same apply to the subject matter of this Act and the official Acts thereunder and to adopt the same as the ordinances of the taxing district of West Palm Beach in Palm Beach County, Florida; to prescribe the time within which suits can be brought against the said district and for notice thereof; to fix and provide the territorial limits, jurisdiction and powers of said district and the jurisdiction and powers of its officers and to provide for a referendum," to create and delegate to said City Additional Powers; to provide for a referendum of each section of this Act; and for other purposes.

Have examined the same and find them correctly enrolled.

The same having been duly signed by the Speaker and Chief Clerk of the House of Representatives, we herewith present the same for the signature of the President and Secretary of the Senate.

Very respectfully,

H. S. McKENZIE,

Chairman of the Joint Committee on Enrolled Bills on the Part of the Senate.

The bills contained in the above report were thereupon duly signed by the President and Secretary of the Senate in open Session and ordered referred to the Joint Committee on Enrolled Bills on the part of the Senate, to be conveyed to the Governor for his approval.

Senator McKenzie, Chairman of the Joint Committee on Enrolled Bills on the part of the Senate, submitted the following report:

Senate Chamber,
Tallahassee, Fla., May 31, 1937.

Hon. D. Stuart Gillis,
President of the Senate.
Sir:

Your Joint Committee on Enrolled Bills, to whom was referred:

Senate Bill No. 338:

A bill to be entitled An Act for the relief of Cook's Sanatorium, Inc., a corporation not for profit organized and existing under the Laws of the State of Florida; on account of tax liens against property owned by said corporation and on which is located and operated said hospital.

Also—

Senate Bill No. 405:

A bill to be entitled An Act to provide for the acquiring of

additional lands adjacent to the monument erected near St. Joseph's Bay under the provisions of Chapter 8481, Acts of 1921, and to declare such additional lands with the lands on which the monument stands, to be a State Park and to provide for the care and upkeep of the same, and to make an annual appropriation to pay the expense thereof.

Also—

Senate Bill No. 406:

A bill to be entitled An Act to authorize the Board of Commissioners of State Institutions to repair and have additional names cut on the monument near Port St. Joe, Florida, the same being a monument to the birthplace of the Constitution and government of Florida erected under provisions of Chapter 8481, Acts of 1921, and making appropriation therefor.

Also—

Senate Bill No. 604:

A bill to be entitled An Act to amend Sections 1, 3, 4, 10, 14, 16, 23, 24 and 27, of Chapter 13893, General Laws of 1929, being an "Act to authorize the County Commissioners of any county, or governing body of any municipality, within the State of Florida, to adopt for use or use experimentally, a voting machine or voting machines for the conduct of elections in such counties or municipalities, and setting forth the requirements of conducting elections by and with the use of such voting machines, and directing how the official returns of elections conducted with the aid of such voting machines shall be made, and providing a penalty for unlawfully possessing such voting machines or the keys thereto and prescribing a penalty for wilfully tampering or attempting to tamper, disarrange, deface, or impair such voting machines, and also defining some of the terms used in this Act"; and providing for other matters relating to the adoption and use of voting machines and providing for the duties of certain municipalities in regard thereto.

Also—

Senate Bill No. 779:

A bill to be entitled An Act authorizing the City Council of the City of Monticello, Florida, to adjust delinquent City Taxes and outstanding improvement liens, and prescribing the conditions under which such adjustments may be made and the method of procedure.

Also—

Senate Bill No. 787:

A bill to be entitled An Act approving, confirming and validating all compromises and adjustments for the redemption or purchase of Tax Sale Certificates, or any portion of any such certificates held by the State for the year 1933, and/or any previous year or years upon lands within Escambia County heretofore effected, made and allowed by the Board of County Commissioners and the County Tax Assessor and the Clerk of the Circuit Court acting as a "Delinquent Tax Adjustment Board" or otherwise.

Also—

Senate Bill No. 823:

A bill to be entitled An Act to amend Sections 7, 15, 23, 24, 26 and 32 of Chapter 9026 (No. 631), Laws of Florida, Acts of 1921, as amended by Chapter 10915 (No. 893), Laws of Florida, Acts of 1925, being "An Act to incorporate and establish a municipal government for the Town of Monticello, in the County of Jefferson and State of Florida, provide for its government, prescribe its jurisdiction and powers and to abolish the present corporation of said town."

Also—

Senate Bill No. 862:

A bill to be entitled An Act authorizing and permitting taxpayers in the City of Inverness, Florida, to pay all taxes levied for debt service without the payment of taxes levied for operating purposes and to pay taxes levied for operating purposes without the taxes levied for debt service and providing that the non-payment of any tax shall not relieve any taxable property from the tax lien created by such levy.

Also—

Senate Bill No. 863:

A bill to be entitled An Act fixing the maximum tax levy for operating purposes and the maximum tax levy for debt service in the City of Inverness, Florida, and making illegal and void all millages levied in excess of said amounts.

Also—

Senate Bill No. 884:

A bill to be entitled An Act ratifying, confirming, validating, and legalizing, all Acts and proceedings of the town council of the Town of Hastings, a municipality in the County of St. Johns, State of Florida, and all Acts and proceedings of the Commissioner of Public Works of said town and the engineers, engineering staff, attorneys, and other agents, officers and employees of said town, heretofore done and performed, in connection with the construction and installation of the improvements authorized in and by Chapter 6695, Laws of Florida, Acts of 1913, and the making, levying and imposing of the special assessments authorized in and by said Act against abutting property, and ratifying, confirming, validating and legalizing all such special assessments heretofore levied and imposed by said town, and declaring such assessments to be valid and binding liens against property, and excepting the liens of such special assessments from the Statutes of Limitations.

Also—

Senate Bill No. 885:

A bill to be entitled An Act ratifying, confirming, validating and legalizing all the assessments, valuations of properties and levies of taxes made by the Town of Hastings, a municipality in the County of St. Johns and State of Florida, for the taxable years 1918 to 1936, both inclusive, and authorizing the collection of said taxes in the manner provided by law.

Also—

Senate Bill No. 900:

A bill to be entitled An Act to validate and confirm the assessments and levy of taxes made by the Town of Flagler Beach, Florida, for the years 1925 to 1936, inclusive.

Also—

Senate Bill No. 923:

A bill to be entitled An Act to authorize, ratify, confirm and validate the purchase, ownership, holding, operating, leasing, selling or otherwise disposing of a dock by the City of Port St. Joe, Florida, and the issuance for the purpose of the purchase thereof of certain bonds of said city.

Also—

Senate Bill No. 946:

A bill to be entitled An Act amending Section 24 of Chapter 6722 of the Laws of Florida, approved May 9th, 1913, to permit the City of Manatee to license privileges, business, occupations and professions carried on and engaged in within the city limits, the amount of such license and license taxes to be fixed by city ordinance, without reference to any General State Law.

Also—

Senate Bill No. 948:

A bill to be entitled An Act to amend An Act of the Legislature of the State of Florida, known as Chapter 16462, Acts of 1933, providing for the Incorporation of Certain Lands in Hillsborough County, into a special sanitary district known as Suburbs Beautiful Special Sanitary District, a municipal corporation, and other purposes, as heretofore amended by Chapter 17553, Laws of Florida 1935, by limiting and restricting the use of Lots of Land in the district to the uses, conditions and limitations set forth in certain deeds and plats, to empower and require the district to enforce such uses, conditions, limitations and restrictions, to require permits for the construction, placing, erection or alteration of buildings on the lots of land in the district, to declare it a misdemeanor and to impose a penalty for failure to procure such a permit, to authorize and increase in compensation to the Secretary-Treasurer of the district, to validate Acts, assessments and liens pursuant to Chapter 17553, Laws of Florida 1935, to validate the provisions of Section 6 of Chapter 17553, Laws of Florida 1935, to validate assessments and liens pursuant to Chapter 16462, Laws of Florida 1933, and for other purposes.

Also—

Senate Bill No. 953:

A bill to be entitled An Act to prohibit the operation of motor propelled boats or water craft without mufflers on Key-stone Lake in Hillsborough County, Florida, and to provide a penalty for the violation thereof.

Also—

Senate Bill No. 958:

A bill to be entitled An Act fixing and determining the basis

of the compensation of the County Tax Assessor in counties having a population of not less than 150,000 and not more than 165,000, according to the last State Census and providing for the determination of such compensation for the year 1936 and all prior years.

Have examined the same and find them correctly enrolled.

The same having been duly signed by the Speaker and Chief Clerk of the House of Representatives, we herewith present the same for the signature of the President and Secretary of the Senate.

Very respectfully,

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Chairman of the Joint Committee on Enrolled Bills on the Part of the Senate.

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Senate Chamber,
Tallahassee, Fla., May 31, 1937.

Hon. D. Stuart Gillis,
President of the Senate.

Sir:

Your Joint Committee on Enrolled Bills, to whom was referred:

Senate Bill No. 760:

A bill to be entitled An Act providing for the fixing of a Minimum Standard for all cement offered for sale, sold or used in the State of Florida and to authorize and empower the State Road Department of the State of Florida to write rules and regulation for the effectual enforcement of this Act; providing for the inspection of all cement imported and brought into the State of Florida from any foreign country and providing for an Inspection Fee to be paid for the inspection of all cement imported and brought into the State of Florida from any foreign country and offered for sale, sold or to be used in the State of Florida; providing penalties for the violation of any of the provisions of this Act as well as any rule or regulation promulgated by the State Road Department; and providing for the enforcement of the provisions of and regulations made in pursuance of this Act.

Also—

Senate Bill No. 1099:

A bill to be entitled An Act to provide for the reimbursement of J. H. Harris, County Commissioner of Hillsborough County, Florida, for loss of salary in consequence of this suspension from office by the Governor of the State of Florida under Section 15, Article 4 of the Constitution of the State of Florida.

Have examined the same and find them correctly enrolled.

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Tallahassee, Fla., May 31, 1937.

Hon. D. Stuart Gillis,
President of the Senate.

Sir:

Your Joint Committee on Enrolled Bills, to whom was referred:

Senate Bill No. 760:

A bill to be entitled An Act providing for the fixing of a

minimum standard for all cement offered for sale, sold or used in the State of Florida and to authorize and empower the State Road Department of the State of Florida to write rules and regulations for the effectual enforcement of this Act; providing for the inspection of all cement imported and brought into the State of Florida from any foreign country and providing for an inspection fee to be paid for the inspection of all cement imported and brought into the State of Florida from any foreign country and offered for sale, sold, or to be used in the State of Florida; providing penalties for the violation of any of the provisions of this Act as well as any rule or regulation promulgated by the State Road Department; and providing for the enforcement of the provisions of and regulations made in pursuance of this Act.

Also—

Senate Bill No. 1099:

A bill to be entitled An Act to provide for the reimbursement of J. H. Harris, County Commissioner of Hillsborough County, Florida, for loss of salary in consequence of his suspension from office by the Governor of the State of Florida under Section 15, Article 4 of the Constitution of the State of Florida.

Beg leave to report that the same have this day been presented to the Governor for his approval.

Very respectfully,

H. S. McKENZIE,

Chairman of the Joint Committee on Enrolled Bills on the Part of the Senate.

Senator McKenzie, Chairman of the Joint Committee on Enrolled Bills on the part of the Senate, submitted the following report:

Senate Chamber,
Tallahassee, Fla., May 31, 1937.

Hon. D. Stuart Gillis,
President of the Senate.

Sir:

Your Joint Committee on Enrolled Bills, to whom was referred:

House Bill No. 97:

A bill to be entitled An Act to regulate the business of selling Used or Second Hand Motor Vehicles by Dealers not residing in or having a permanent place of business in the State of Florida, and by resident dealers purchasing, handling or selling used or Second Hand Motor Vehicles received or acquired from non-residents; requiring the Registration of all Used Cars brought into the State of Florida for the purpose of Sale to be Registered with the Motor Vehicle Commissioner of Florida under Rules and Regulations to be promulgated by such Commissioner; requiring all such dealers to execute bond payable to the Governor for each such Vehicle for the use and benefit of the Purchaser and his Vendees to indemnify them against fraudulent misrepresentation or breaches of warranty; providing fees for such Registrations and approval of bond and time for institution of suit on such bond; requiring the delivery of Certificate of Title to the Vendee; providing certain limitations as to suits seeking recovery of such used Vehicles or part of sale price; defining the term dealer and Vendor; and providing penalties for the violation of the provisions of this Act.

Also—

House Bill No. 101:

A bill to be entitled An Act to prevent unfair competition and to prohibit monopolies in the business of financing the sale of Motor Vehicles in this State, by declaring unlawful and void certain contracts, conditions or agreements between manufacturers or wholesale distributors of Motor Vehicles, whereby the dealer is required to finance sales of Motor Vehicles only through a designated Finance Company or Finance Agency; and providing penalties, forfeitures and recoveries for the violation of this Act.

Beg leave to report that the same have this day been presented to the Governor for his approval.

Very respectfully,

H. S. McKENZIE,

Chairman of the Joint Committee on Enrolled Bills on the Part of the Senate.

Senator McKenzie, Chairman of the Joint Committee

on Enrolled Bills on the part of the Senate, submitted the following report:

Senate Chamber,
Tallahassee, Fla., May 31, 1937.

Hon. D. Stuart Gillis,
President of the Senate.

Sir:

Your Joint Committee on Enrolled Bills, to whom was referred:

House Bill No. 284:

A bill to be entitled An Act to amend Section 1 of Chapter 16232, Laws of Florida, General Acts of the Legislature of 1933, and to redesignate the course and route of State Road No. 52 through Panama City.

Also—

House Bill No. 311:

A bill to be entitled An Act to designate and establish a certain Road in Bay County, Florida, as a part of State Road No. 10, as the same now exists.

Also—

House Bill No. 395:

A bill to be entitled An Act to amend Section 1 and II of Chapter 17130, Laws of Florida, Acts of 1935, relating to loans and investments under the National Housing Act and making certain securities eligible for deposit purposes.

Also—

House Bill No. 873:

A bill to be entitled An Act designating a State Road in Holmes and Walton Counties, State of Florida.

Also—

House Bill No. 1073:

A bill to be entitled An Act declaring, designating, and establishing a certain State Road in Duval County, Florida.

Also—

House Bill No. 1088:

A bill to be entitled An Act regulating the taking of mullet in the counties of the State of Florida bordering on the Gulf of Mexico and lying west of the Aucilla River; providing an open season for the taking of mullet in such counties; providing the manner in which mullet may be taken in such counties and defining the nets which may be used in taking mullet in the counties affected by this law; repealing conflicting laws and providing penalties for the violation of this Act.

Also—

House Bill No. 1099:

A bill to be entitled An Act to declare, designate and establish a certain State road in Manatee County, Florida.

Also—

House Bill No. 1105:

A bill to be entitled An Act to declare, designate and establish the Withlacoochee Scenic Highway in Citrus County, Florida, as a State road.

Also—

House Bill No. 1120:

A bill to be entitled An Act to declare, designate and establish a certain State road.

Also—

House Bill No. 1145:

A bill to be entitled An Act to declare, designate and establish a certain State road in Nassau County, Florida.

Also—

House Bill No. 1162:

A bill to be entitled An Act to amend Section 1 of 17382, Laws of Florida, Acts of 1935, entitled "An Act to declare designate and establish a certain State road in Washington County beginning at Chipley and going southeasterly in the direction of Vernon and connecting with State Road No. 39," by correcting certain directions as herein provided.

Also—

House Bill No. 1179:

A bill to be entitled An Act to designate and establish

a certain road in Bay County, Florida, as a part of existing State Road No. 10.

Also—

House Bill No. 1180:

A bill to be entitled An Act to designate and establish a certain road in Bay County, Florida, as a part of existing State Road No. 20.

Also—

House Bill No. 1211:

A bill to be entitled An Act to declare, designate and establish as a State Road that certain Road now as "Red Road" (Also known as County Road 100) beginning at State Road No. 26 (also known as Okeechobee Road), thence in a northerly direction to the intersection of said Red Road to what is known as Opa Locka Road, (also known as County Road 143), thence westerly on said County Road 143 to its intersection with County Road No. 80, thence south on County Road No. 80 to State Road No. 26.

Also—

House Bill No. 1212:

A bill to be entitled An Act to declare, designate and establish as a State Road that certain road beginning at the intersection of Moody Drive and State Road No. 271, Dade County, Florida; thence south along Allapattah Road to Mowry Street, thence west along Mowry Road to its intersection with State Road No. 4A.

Also—

House Bill No. 1213:

A bill to be entitled An Act to declare, designate and establish as a State Road that certain Road beginning at the intersection of State Road No. 270 and northwest Twenty-Seventh Avenue, Dade County, Florida; thence south on Northwest Twenty-Seventh Avenue to its intersection with State Road No. 272 (Northwest Thirty-Sixth Street).

Also—

House Bill No. 1214:

A bill to be entitled An Act to declare, designate and establish as a State Road that certain Road beginning at the intersection of State Road No. 4-A and Bird Road, Dade County, Florida, thence west along Bird Road (crossing State Road No. 272) to its intersection with State Road No. 205 (Krome Avenue).

Also—

House Bill No. 1215:

A bill to be entitled An Act to declare, designate and establish as a State Road that certain road beginning at the intersection of Eureka Road and State Road No. 271 (Ingraham Highway), Dade County, Florida, thence west along Eureka Road (Crossing State Road No. 4-A) to its intersection with State Road No. 205 (Krome Avenue).

Also—

House Bill No. 1216:

A bill to be entitled An Act to declare, designate and establish as a State Road that certain road beginning at the intersection of State Road No. 176 (Northeast Second Avenue) and Gratiigny Road, Dade County, Florida, thence west along Gratiigny Road (crossing State Roads Nos. 149 and 140-A) to its intersection with State Road No. 26.

Also—

House Bill No. 1223:

A bill to be entitled An Act to repeal Chapter 9637, Laws of Florida, Acts of 1923. Same being An Act limiting the amount of tonnage by motor vehicles and restricting the use of trailers and log, timber, turpentine and other carts, wagons or other vehicles and well machines over certain roads in Sumter County, Florida, and regulating the speed of and the use of wagons, carts, machines or disc harrows, automobile or other vehicles over the road of said county.

Also—

House Bill No. 1253:

A bill to be entitled An Act to declare, designate and establish a certain State Road, in Hillsborough County, Florida.

Also—

House Bill No. 1258:

A bill to be entitled An Act to declare, designate and establish a certain State Road, in Hillsborough County, Florida.

Also—

House Bill No. 1264:

A bill to be entitled An Act to designate and establish a certain State Road in Brevard County, Florida, as a part of the system of State Roads of the State of Florida.

Also—

House Bill No. 1266:

A bill to be entitled An Act to designate and establish a certain State Road in Duval County, Florida.

Also—

House Bill No. 1283:

A bill to be entitled An Act to declare, designate and establish a certain State road in Leon County, Florida.

Also—

House Bill No. 1358:

A bill to be entitled An Act to designate and establish as a State Road that certain road beginning on State Road No. 13 in the north limits of Bronson, Florida, at a point between the Fair Grounds and Cemetery bordering on State Road No. 13 in the north limits of Bronson, Florida, and running thence southeasterly to State Road No. 19 and connecting with State Road No. 19, all in Levy County, Florida, designating the route of said road and a number designation to be given thereto by the State Road Department of Florida.

Also—

House Bill No. 1406:

A bill to be entitled An Act to abolish the present municipality of the City of Delray Beach, in Palm Beach County, Florida, and to establish, organize and incorporate a new municipality to be known as the City of Delray Beach in Palm Beach County, Florida, in lieu thereof; to designate the territory embraced within the City of Delray Beach herein created, and to provide for its jurisdictions, powers and privileges.

Also—

House Bill No. 1432:

A bill to be entitled An Act to designate as a part of the State Road System of the State of Florida the portion of the most direct road now in use or which may be designated which connects airports in the State of Florida with the nearest adjacent town to such airport in cases where there is not a State highway so connecting.

Also—

House Bill No. 1433:

A bill to be entitled An Act creating and designating a certain Road in Alachua County, Florida, a State Road.

Also—

House Bill No. 1490:

A bill to be entitled An Act to amend Section 1657, Compiled General Laws of Florida of 1927, relating to State Highways No. 15, No. 81 and 81-A.

Also—

House Bill No. 1503:

A bill to be entitled An Act to designate, declare and establish a certain State Road connecting State Road No. 306 in St. Johns County with Duval County Road No. 14 in Duval County, Florida, and to provide for its construction.

Also—

House Bill No. 1625:

A bill to be entitled An Act to declare, designate and establish a certain State Road in Jackson County, Florida.

Also—

House Bill No. 1649:

A bill to be entitled An Act to declare, designate and establish a State Road in Hillsborough County, Florida.

Also—

House Bill No. 1666:

A bill to be entitled An Act to designate and declare and provide for the completion and maintenance of a State Road from the City of Perry to State Road No. 10A, the same being known and designated as the Magnolia Drive, the said State Road to be known as 10B and the same shall constitute a

part of State Road 10 of the Highway System of the State of Florida.

Also—

House Bill No. 1714:

A bill to be entitled An Act to declare, designate and establish a certain State Road.

Also—

House Bill No. 1716:

A bill to be entitled An Act to declare, designate and establish a certain State Road.

Beg leave to report that the same have this day been presented to the Governor for his approval.

Very respectfully,

H. S. McKENZIE,

Chairman of the Joint Committee on Enrolled Bills
on the Part of the Senate.

Senator McKenzie, Chairman of the Joint Committee on Enrolled Bills on the Part of the Senate, submitted the following report:

Senate Chamber,
Tallahassee, Fla., May 31, 1937.

Hon. D. Stuart Gillis,
President of the Senate.

Sir:

Your Joint Committee on Enrolled Bills to whom was referred:

Senate Bill No. 324:

A bill to be entitled An Act to provide for re-registration of all voters for all elections to be held in the year, 1938, and subsequent years thereafter, in counties of this State having a population of not less than twenty-three thousand and fifty and not more than twenty-six thousand inhabitants according to the last State Census and providing that registration of voters heretofore had in such counties shall be null and void and of no force and effect after January 1, A. D. 1938, and providing that the board of county commissioners of such counties shall have the authority to alter or change any election and registration district, voting place or precinct in such counties, and providing for the time to apply for re-registration in such counties.

Also—

Senate Bill No. 481:

A bill to be entitled An Act to amend Section 1 of Chapter 16058, Laws of Florida of 1933, being "An Act providing for and creating jury commissioners in all counties of the State of Florida having a population exceeding 155,000 by the last preceding Federal Census, and prescribing their qualifications, method of appointment, powers, duties, functions and official terms, and providing for the selection, listing and procurement of jurors in such counties, by changing the population from 155,000 to 150,000 by the last preceding Federal Census.

Also—

Senate Bill No. 746:

A bill to be entitled An Act fixing the compensation of members of the Board of County Commissioners in counties of the State of Florida, having a population of not less than eighty-eight hundred and twenty-five (8825) and not more than eighty-eight hundred and seventy-five (8875), according to the State Census of 1935.

Beg leave to report that the same have this day been presented to the Governor for his approval.

Very respectfully,

H. S. McKENZIE,

Chairman of the Joint Committee on Enrolled Bills on the Part of the Senate.

Senator McKenzie, Chairman of the Joint Committee on Enrolled Bills on the Part of the Senate, submitted the following report:

Senate Chamber,
Tallahassee, Fla., May 31, 1937.

Hon. D. Stuart Gillis,
President of the Senate.

Sir:

Your Joint Committee on Enrolled Bills, to whom was referred:

Senate Bill No. 232:

A bill to be entitled An Act to prohibit the sale and shipment of Tarpon (*Tarpon Atlanticus*), within the State of Florida, and providing penalties for the violation thereof.

Also—

Senate Bill No. 463:

A bill to be entitled An Act for the enlargement, further improvement and maintenance of Dade Memorial Park, and to make appropriation therefor.

Also—

Senate Bill No. 519:

A bill to be entitled An Act making an appropriation for a portion of the cost of constructing a building to be used by the State Board of Health for Administrative Offices and Offices of the Bureau of Vital Statistics.

Also—

Senate Bill No. 999:

A bill to be entitled An Act relating to and authorizing the construction of an additional bridge across the St. Johns River in the City of Jacksonville; to confer upon Duval County the power of eminent domain for such purpose; to authorize the State Road Department to enter into a contract or contracts for the construction, maintenance and operation of such bridge; to provide for the payment of the cost thereof; to authorize the use of moneys derived from the operation of the existing St. Johns River Bridge in said county, and the future collection of tolls thereon for said purpose; to provide for the payment of the outstanding Duval County St. Johns River Bridge Bonds.

Beg leave to report that the same have this day been presented to the Governor for his approval.

Very respectfully,

H. S. McKENZIE,

Chairman of the Joint Committee on Enrolled Bills
on the Part of the Senate.

Senator Graham moved that Senate Bill No. 1104 be withdrawn from the Calendar of Bills on second reading and placed on the Calendar of Local Bills on second reading.

Which was agreed to and it was so ordered.

Senator Parrish moved that House Bill No. 1761 be recalled from the House of Representatives.

Which was agreed to and it was so ordered.

Senator Westbrook moved that Senate Bill No. 502 be recalled from the House of Representatives.

Which was agreed to and it was so ordered.

Senator Westbrook, as Chairman of the Committee on Rules and Calendar, moved that the rules be waived and when the Senate adjourns at the afternoon Session it recess to reconvene at 8:00 o'clock P. M., this day, for the consideration of Local Bills, Road Designation Bills, Pension Bills and Claim Bills.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote and it was so ordered.

Senator Touchton moved that Senate Bill No. 1105 be withdrawn from the Calendar of Bills on second reading and placed on the Calendar of Local Bills on second reading.

Which was agreed to and it was so ordered.

Senator Westbrook, as Chairman of the Committee on Rules and Calendar, moved that the Secretary be directed to prepare a Special Calendar of Local Bills introduced in the Senate today, or received in Messages from the House of Representatives today, for consideration with the Local Bills now on the Calendar at the Session tonight.

Which was agreed to and it was so ordered.

Senator Westbrook, as Chairman of the Committee on Rules and Calendar, moved that Senate Bills Nos. 574 and 282; House Bill No. 298; Senate Bill No. 1029; House Bill No. 70; Senate Bills Nos. 808, 294, 833, 834 and 889; House Bill No. 1335; Senate Bill No. 508; House Bill No. 238 and Senate Bill No. 812, be made Special and Continuing Orders for consideration by the Senate, in the order mentioned, following those bills now on the Special Order Calendar.

Which was agreed to and it was so ordered.

Senator Nordman moved that House Bill No. 723 be recalled from the Committee on Appropriations and be placed on the Calendar of Local Bills on second reading.

Which was agreed to and it was so ordered.

Senator Beall moved that the rules be waived and the Senate do now take up and consider Senate Bill No. 1029, out of its order, at this time.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

Senate Bill No. 1029:

A bill to be entitled An Act authorizing the Board of Commissioners of State Institutions with the affirmative vote of the Governor to purchase furniture, fixtures and equipment for the new buildings and other buildings of the Florida State Hospital and appropriating a sum of money not exceeding One Hundred Thousand Dollars for that purpose.

Was taken up and read the second time in full.

Senator Beall moved that the rules be waived and Senate Bill No. 1029 be read the third time in full and put upon its passage.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And Senate Bill No. 1029 was read the third time in full.

Upon the passage of the bill the roll was called and the vote was:

Yeas—Mr. President; Senators Adams, Beall, Black, Clarke, Dame, Dugger, Graham, Hinely, Hodges, Johns, Kanner, Kelly, Kendrick, McArthur, Mapoles, Murphy, Parrish, Rose, Sharit, Smith, Sweger, Tervin, Tillman, Touchton, Walker, Wynn—27.

Nays—None.

So the bill passed, title as stated, and the action of the Senate was ordered to be certified to the House of Representatives immediately by waiver of the rule.

Senator Graham moved that the Chairman of the Committee on Finance and Taxation be directed to prepare and place on the desk of each Senator a list of the revenue producing bills now before the Senate and the amounts of revenue which they will produce.

Which was agreed to and it was so ordered.

Senator Gomez moved that Senate Bill No. 623 be withdrawn from the Calendar of Bills on second reading and placed on the Calendar of Local Bills on second reading.

Which was agreed to and it was so ordered.

INTRODUCTION OF BILLS AND JOINT RESOLUTIONS

By Senator Tillman—

Senate Bill No. 1130:

A bill to be entitled An Act providing for the creation of a Board of Tax Appeals and Adjustments for the City of Tampa, Florida; prescribing the powers and duties of such board; fixing the term of office and compensation of the members of said board naming the first board and providing for the payment of expense of operation of said board; providing for appeals to said board from decisions from the Board of Equalization of the City of Tampa dealing with the assessed valuation of property and for adjustment of delinquent taxes owing to the City of Tampa on account of taxes levied and assessed by said City for the year 1936 and years prior thereto upon application of any party interested; authorizing the members of said board to summon witnesses, administer oaths; and conduct hearings; making false swearing before said board a perjury and providing a penalty therefor.

Which was read the first time by title only and placed on the Calendar of Local Bills on second reading.

By the Committee on Appropriations—

Senate Bill No. 1131:

A bill to be entitled An Act to make an appropriation and provide for the construction of two (2) dormitories at the Florida Industrial School for Boys.

Which was read the first time by title only.

Senator Beall moved that the rules be waived and Senate Bill No. 1131 be read the second time in full.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And Senate Bill No. 1131 was read the second time in full.

Senator Beall moved that the rules be further waived and Senate Bill No. 1131 be read the third time in full and put upon its passage.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And Senate Bill No. 1131 was read the third time in full.

Upon the passage of the bill the roll was called and the vote was:

Yeas—Mr. President; Senators Beall, Black, Butler, Clarke,

Dugger, Gomez, Graham, Hinely, Hodges, Kanner, Kelly, Kendrick, McArthur, Mapoles, Nordman, Parrish, Rose, Sharit, Smith, Sweger, Tervin, Tillman, Touchton, Walker, Westbrook, Wynn—27.

Nays—None.

So the bill passed, title as stated, and the action of the Senate was ordered to be immediately certified to the House of Representatives by waiver of the rule.

By unanimous consent Senator Rose withdrew Senate Bill No. 836:

By Senator Tillman—

Senate Bill No. 1132:

A bill to be entitled An Act to authorize and empower the State Board of Administration of the State of Florida to accept refunding bonds heretofore issued by Hillsborough County, Florida, and to deliver and surrender to said county refund bonds in exchange for same.

The following proof of publication was attached to Senate Bill No. 1132 when it was introduced in the Senate:

PUBLISHER'S AFFIDAVIT

PUBLIC NOTICE

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that at the 1937 Session of the Florida Legislature which convened at Tallahassee, Florida, on Tuesday, April 6th, 1937, special or local legislation will be proposed and passage asked of An Act authorizing the State Board of Administration of the State of Florida to exchange refunding bonds heretofore issued by Hillsborough County and such refunding bonds as may hereafter be issued by Hillsborough County, whether such exchange is to be made by private owners of said bonds or whether said bonds are owned or held by funds of Hillsborough County or any of the Special Road and Bridge Districts of Hillsborough County, Florida.

T. N. HENDERSON,

Chairman Board of County Commissioners of Hillsborough County, Florida. (4) 29-1t

PUBLISHER'S AFFIDAVIT

STATE OF FLORIDA,)
) ss.
COUNTY OF HILLSBOROUGH)

Before me, the undersigned authority, this day personally appeared J. S. Mims, who by me being first duly sworn according to law, deposes and says that he is General Manager of The Tampa Morning Tribune, a daily newspaper of general circulation and published at Tampa, in said County of Hillsborough, State of Florida, and that a full, true and correct copy of which said publication is hereto attached, was published in said newspaper in its issues of April 29, 1937.

Affiant further says that the above named newspaper has been continuously published once each week, and in fact every day of each week, in said County of Hillsborough, State of Florida, for more than one year immediately preceding the first publication of said Notice, and was during all of such time, and now is, entered as second-class mail matter in the United States Post Office at Tampa, Hillsborough County, Florida, thereby conforming to the requirements of Senate Bill No. 58, the same being an Act of the 1931 Legislature of the State of Florida in reference to publications of such notices and court processes, approved May 20, 1931.

J. S. MIMS.

Sworn to and subscribed before me, this 29th day of April, A. D. 1937.

(Seal)

HAROLD L. MIMS,

Notary Public, in and for State of Florida at Large.

My commission expires January 9, 1940.

STATE OF FLORIDA,)
COUNTY OF HILLSBOROUGH)

Before the undersigned authority personally appeared T. N. Henderson, as Chairman of the Board of County Commissioners of Hillsborough County, Florida, who on oath does solemnly swear that he has knowledge of the matters stated herein; that a notice stating the substance of a contemplated law or proposed bill relating to the authority of the State Board of Administration to exchange refunding bonds heretofore or hereafter issued by Hillsborough County, for bonds of like denominations held by various sinking funds being administered by the State Board of Administration, has been published at least thirty days prior to this

date, by being printed in the issue of Thursday, April 29, A. D. 1937, of the Tampa Morning Tribune, a newspaper published in Hillsborough County, Florida, where the matter or thing to be affected by the contemplated law is situated; that a copy of the notice that has been published as aforesaid, together with the publisher's affidavit covering publishing of same, and also this affidavit of proof of publication are attached to the proposed bill or contemplated law, and such copy of the notice and publisher's affidavit so attached is by reference made a part of this affidavit.

T. N. HENDERSON.

Sworn to and subscribed before me this 31st day of May, A. D., 1937.

JOHN M. ALLISON,
Notary Public, State of Florida at Large.
My Commission Expires March 31, 1939.

Which was read the first time by title only and placed on the Calendar of Local Bills on second reading.

By Senator Tillman—

Senate Bill No. 1133:

A bill to be entitled An Act to cancel and discharge all tax certificates and tax liens for State and County taxes now outstanding and unpaid, on the following described real estate in Hillsborough County, Florida: North one-third (N 1/3) of Section 9, Township 30 South, Range 18 East, Containing 213 acres, more or less.

The following proof of publication was attached to Senate Bill No. 1133 when it was introduced in the Senate:

PUBLIC NOTICE

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, that at the 1937 Session of the Florida Legislature which convened at Tallahassee, Florida, on Tuesday, April 6, 1937, special or local legislation will be proposed and passage asked of An Act to approve, ratify, and confirm a certain Lease entered into by Hillsborough County with Reolds Farm Company, covering the following property situate in Hillsborough County, Florida, to-wit:

North 1/3 of Section 9, Township 30 South, Range 18 East, containing 2/3 acres more or less; for emergency land field and aviation purposes generally for period of ten years from January 1, 1934, to and including December 31, 1943; for the cancellation of all State and County taxes and tax certificates outstanding against the property covered by said lease, up to January 1, 1934; and also to forego the levying and collecting of State and County taxes on said property during the term of said lease.

T. N. HENDERSON,

Board of County Commissioners of Hillsborough County, Florida.

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PUBLISHER'S AFFIDAVIT

STATE OF FLORIDA)

) ss.

COUNTY OF HILLSBOROUGH)

Before me, the undersigned authority, this day personally appeared J. S. Mims, who by me being first duly sworn according to law, deposes and says that he is General Manager of The Tampa Morning Tribune, a daily newspaper of general circulation and published at Tampa, in said County of Hillsborough, State of Florida, and that a full, true and correct copy of which said publication is hereto attached, was published in said newspaper in its issues of May 1, 1937.

Affiant further says that the above named newspaper has been continuously published once each week, and in fact every day of each week, in said County of Hillsborough, State of Florida, for more than one year immediately preceding the first publication of said notice, and was during all of such time and now is, entered as second-class mail matter in the United States Post Office at Tampa, Hillsborough County, Florida, thereby conforming to the requirements of Senate Bill No. 58, the same being an Act of the 1931 Legislature of the State of Florida in reference to publications of such notices and court processes, approved May 20, 1931.

J. S. MIMS.

Sworn to and subscribed before me, this 1st day of May, A. D. 1937.

HAROLD L. MIMS.
Notary Public, in and for State of Florida at Large.
My commission expires January 9, 1940.

STATE OF FLORIDA)
COUNTY OF HILLSBOROUGH)

Before the undersigned authority personally appeared T. N. Henderson, as Chairman of the Board of County Commissioners of Hillsborough County, Florida, who on oath does solemnly swear that he has knowledge of the matters stated herein; that a notice stating the substance of a contemplated law or proposed bill relating to the confirmation of a certain lease between Hillsborough County and Reolds Farm Company covering

North one-third (N 1/3) of Section nine (9) Township thirty (30) South Range Eighteen (18) East, containing 213 acres more or less,

and to the cancellation of all taxes against said property prior to and during the term of said lease, has been published at least thirty days prior to this date, by being printed in the issue of May 1st, A. D. 1937, of the Tampa Morning Tribune, a newspaper published in Hillsborough County, Florida, where the matter or thing to be affected by the contemplated law is situated; that a copy of the notice that has been published as aforesaid, together with the publisher's affidavit covering publishing of same, and also this affidavit of proof of publication are attached to the proposed bill or contemplated law, and such copy of the notice and publisher's affidavit so attached is by reference made a part of this affidavit.

T. N. HENDERSON.

Sworn to and subscribed before me this May 31st, A. D., 1937.

JOHN M. ALLISON,
Notary Public, State of Florida at Large.
My commission expires Mar. 31, 1939.

Which was read the first time by title only and referred to the Committee on Finance and Taxation.

By Senator Tillman—

Senate Bill No. 1134:

A bill to be entitled An Act authorizing and empowering the State Board of Administration of the State of Florida to transfer from time to time, balances remaining in special funds of Hillsborough County, Florida, where all obligations of said special funds have been paid, whether such balances be represented by cash, or by bonds, or other securities.

The following proof of publication was attached to Senate Bill No. 1134 when it was introduced in the Senate:

PUBLIC NOTICE

Notice is hereby given that at the 1937 Session of the Florida Legislature which convened at Tallahassee, Florida, on Tuesday, April 6th, 1937, special or local legislation will be proposed and passage asked of An Act authorizing the Board of County Commissioners of Hillsborough County, Florida, and the State Board of Administration of the State of Florida, at Tallahassee, Florida, to transfer all balances remaining in special funds wherein all obligations of such special funds have already been paid, such as Bayshore Crystal Springs Time Warrants funds, Good Roads Bonds funds, Refunding Bonds, series 31, 32, 33 and 34 funds, and such other funds not herein specifically mentioned, as have balances after the obligations of said funds have all been paid, whether the balances are represented in cash or by bonds or other securities, such funds to be transferred to other County funds as may be determined by the Board of County Commissioners.

T. N. HENDERSON,
Chairman, Board of County Commissioners
of Hillsborough County, Florida.

PUBLISHER'S AFFIDAVIT

STATE OF FLORIDA,)

) ss.

COUNTY OF HILLSBOROUGH)

Before me, the undersigned authority, this day personally appeared J. S. Mims, who by me being first duly sworn according to law, deposes and says that he is General Manager of The Tampa Morning Tribune, a daily newspaper of general circulation and published at Tampa, in said County of Hillsborough, State of Florida, and that a full, true and correct copy of which said publication is hereto attached, was published in said newspaper in its issues of April 29, 1937.

Affiant further says that the above named newspaper has

been continuously published once each week, and in fact every day of each week, in said County of Hillsborough, State of Florida, for more than one year immediately preceding the first publication of said Notice, and was during all of such time, and now is, entered as second-class mail matter in the United States Post Office at Tampa, Hillsborough County, Florida, thereby conforming to the requirements of Senate Bill No. 58, the same being an Act of the 1931 Legislature of the State of Florida in reference to publications of such notices and court processes, approved May 20, 1931.

J. S. MIMS.

Sworn to and subscribed before me, this 29th day of April, A. D. 1937.

HAROLD L. MIMS

Notary Public, in and for State of Florida at Large
My Commission Expires January 9, 1940.

STATE OF FLORIDA,
COUNTY OF HILLSBOROUGH)

Before me, the undersigned authority, personally appeared T. N. Henderson, as Chairman of the Board of County Commissioners of Hillsborough County, Florida, who, on oath does solemnly swear that he has knowledge of the matters stated herein; that a notice stating the substance of a contemplated law, or proposed bill, relating to the authority of the State Board of Administration of the State of Florida to transfer balances now or hereafter remaining in special fund or funds of Hillsborough County, Florida, where all obligations of such fund or funds have been paid, whether such balances be represented by cash, or by bonds or other securities, to such other fund or funds of said county as may be designated by resolution of said Hillsborough County, has been published at least thirty days prior to this date, by being printed in the issue of Thursday, April 29th, 1937, of the Tampa Morning Tribune, a newspaper published in Hillsborough County, Florida, where the matter or thing to be affected by the contemplated law is situated; that a copy of the notice that has been published as aforesaid, together with the publisher's affidavit covering publishing of same, and also this affidavit of proof of publication are attached to the proposed bill or contemplated law, and such copy of the notice and publisher's affidavit so attached is by reference made a part of this affidavit.

T. N. HENDERSON.

Sworn to and subscribed before me this May 31, 1937.

JOHN M. ALLISON,

Notary Public, State of Florida at Large.

(Seal) My Commission expires March 31, 1939.

Which was read the first time by title only and placed on the Calendar of Local Bills on second reading.

By Senator Touchton—

Senate Bill No. 1135:

A bill to be entitled An Act to constitute the City Council of the City of Zephyrhills as a tax adjustment board, and defining the powers of said board to adjust outstanding and unpaid taxes and special assessment liens.

Which was read the first time by title only and placed on the Calendar of Local Bills on second reading.

By Senator Wynn—

Senate Bill No. 1136:

A bill to be entitled An Act to amend Section 2, of Chapter 9829, Acts of 1923, Laws of Florida, the same being, "An Act to repeal the present charter of the City of Marianna, Chapter 6371, Acts of May 5, 1911, and to grant a new charter for said city, defining its jurisdiction, boundaries, powers, privileges and immunities, and confirming its title to all city property and validating all tax assessments and levies heretofore made, and prescribing the general powers to be exercised by said city." The purpose of this Act being to increase and define the territory within the corporate limits of the said City of Marianna.

Which was read the first time by title only and placed on the Calendar of Local Bills and second reading.

By Senator Rose—

Senate Bill No. 1137:

A bill to be entitled An Act relating to cities and towns in Orange County, Florida, and to exempt and except said cities and towns from the operation of committee substitute for House Bill Number Seventy-two, entitled: "Bill to be entitled An Act giving consent by the State of Florida to be sued and made a party defendant in suits in equity brought by any

county, city, village or town of this State to foreclose its tax or assessment liens on property located therein, so that State tax liens against such property may be adjudicated and the State receive its proper and proportionate share of the proceeds of any foreclosure sale in such proceedings in satisfaction of such State tax liens; providing that the county and taxing districts may be made parties to such suits so as to adjudicate and satisfy their tax liens therein; providing that such suits shall be cognizable only in the court of the State of Florida, and for the venue of such suits and the service of process therein; providing that the Attorney of Record for the county shall represent its interest and that of the State in such suits and authorizing the recovery of reasonable fees by the city, village or town and the county for the services of their respective attorneys therein."

Which was read the first time by title only and placed on the Calendar of Local Bills on second reading.

By Senator Holland—

Senate Bill No. 1138:

A bill to be entitled An Act fixing the compensation of the Supervisor of Registration of counties of the State of Florida, which now have or may have hereafter a population of more than 75,000 and not more than 140,000 inhabitants, according to the last preceding State or Federal census, and defining the time when the registration books in such counties shall be kept open, and prescribing the duties of the Supervisors of Registration in such counties.

Which was read the first time by title only and placed on the Calendar of Local Bills on second reading.

By Senator Holland—

Senate Bill No. 1139:

A bill to be entitled An Act creating and defining a Student Activities Fund of Special Tax School District No. 1 of Polk County, Florida, providing for the handling of said fund and the appointment of a Treasurer thereof, the auditing of said fund, and repealing all laws or parts of laws in conflict herewith.

The following proof of publication was attached to Senate Bill No. 1139 when it was introduced in the Senate:

AFFIDAVIT OF PUBLICATION

Lakeland Evening Ledger and Star-Telegram

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN

That application will be made to the Legislature of the State of Florida, at the 1937 Session to enact a special law validating certificates of indebtedness heretofore issued by the Board of Public Instruction, for the County of Polk, State of Florida, on behalf of Special Tax School District No. 1 of Polk County, Florida, under the provisions of Chapter 17648 of the Laws of Florida, Acts of 1935, the same having been introduced as Senate Bill 994.

Also that application will be made to the Legislature of the State of Florida, at the 1937 Session thereof, for the passage of a local law, providing for the handling of special funds other than tax funds, derived from the operation of the Public Schools in Special Tax School District No. 1, of Polk County, Florida.

H. B. CRAVEN.

STATE OF FLORIDA)
) ss.
COUNTY OF POLK)

On this day personally appeared before me Jay C. Smith, to me well known, who, being by me first duly sworn, deposes and says, that he is business manager of the Lakeland Evening Ledger and Star-Telegram, a newspaper of general circulation published in the City of Lakeland, County of Polk, State of Florida;

That the notice hereto attached of Notice Is Hereby Given Re: Special Tax School District No. 1, Polk County, Florida was published in said newspaper once each week for 1 consecutive weekly issues, on the following date, viz: April 30, 1937, making 1 publication as required by law;

That said newspaper at the time of said publication had been continuously published at least once a week and had been entered as second class matter at the post office in Lakeland, Polk County, Florida, where published, for a period of more than one year next preceding the first insertion of said notice,

as required by Laws of Florida, Acts of 1931, approved May 20, 1931, and known as Senate Bill No. 58.

Signed JAY C. SMITH,
Business Manager.

Sworn to and subscribed before me this May 29, 1937.

(Seal) C. ALDERMAN,
Notary Public.

My Commission Expires Nov. 24, 1937.

Which was read the first time by title only and placed on the Calendar of Local Bills on second reading.

By Senator Holland—
Senate Bill No. 1140:

A bill to be entitled An Act validating certificates of indebtedness issued by the Board of Public Instruction, for the County of Polk, State of Florida, on behalf of or as representing Special Tax School District No. 1, Polk County, Florida, under authority of Chapter 17648 of the Laws of Florida, Acts of 1935.

The following proof of publication was attached to Senate Bill No. 1140 when it was introduced in the Senate:

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H. B. CRAVEN.

AFFIDAVIT OF PUBLICATION

*Lakeland Evening Ledger
and Star-Telegram*

STATE OF FLORIDA)
) ss:
COUNTY OF POLK)

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(Signed) JAY C. SMITH,
Business Manager.

Sworn to and subscribed before me this May 29, 1937.

(Seal) C. ALDERMAN,
Notary Public, State of Florida at Large.

My Commission expires Nov. 24, 1937.

Which was read the first time by title only and placed on the Calendar of Local Bills on second reading.

By Senator Tillman—
Senate Bill No. 1141:

A bill to be entitled An Act to provide for the reimbursement of Will C. Spencer, Sheriff of Hillsborough County, Florida, for loss of salary in consequence of his suspension from office by the Governor of the State of Florida under Section 15, Article 4 of the Constitution of the State of Florida.

Which was read the first time by title only.

Senator Tillman moved that the rules be waived and Senate Bill No. 1141 be read the second time by title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And Senate Bill No. 1141 was read the second time by title only.

Senator Tillman moved that the rules be further waived and Senate Bill No. 1141 be read the third time in full and put upon its passage.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And Senate Bill No. 1141 was read the third time in full. Upon the passage of the bill the roll was called and the vote was:

Yeas—Mr. President; Senators Adams, Beall, Black, Clarke, Dame, Dugger, Gomez, Graham, Hinely, Holland, Kanner, Kelly, Kendrick, McArthur, McKenzie, Murphy, Nordman, Parker, Parrish, Rose, Sharit, Smith, Sweger, Tillman, Touchton, Walker, Westbrook—28.

Nays—None.

So the bill passed, title as stated, and the action of the Senate was ordered to be certified to the House of Representatives.

CONSIDERATION OF OTHER RESOLUTIONS

Senate Concurrent Resolution No. 18 was taken up in its order and the consideration thereof was informally passed.

MESSAGES FROM THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

The following message from the House of Representatives was received and read:

Tallahassee, Fla., May 29, 1937.

Hon. D. Stuart Gillis,
President of the Senate.
Sir:

I am directed by the House of Representatives to inform the Senate that the House of Representatives has passed:

Senate Bill No. 651:

A bill to be entitled An Act to declare the necessity of establishing "Soil Conservation Districts"; to engage in conserving soil resources and preventing and controlling soil erosion; to establish the State Soil Conservation Committee, and to define its powers and duties; to provide for the establishment of Soil Conservation Districts; to define the powers and duties of Soil Conservation Districts, and to provide for the exercise of such powers, including the power to acquire property by purchase, gift and otherwise; to empower such districts to adopt programs and regulations for the discontinuance of land-use practices contributing to soil wastage and soil erosion, and the adoption and carrying out of soil-conserving land-use practices, and to provide for the enforcement of such programs and regulations; to provide for the establishment of Boards of Adjustment in connection with land-use regulations, and to define their functions and powers; to provide for discontinuance of such Soil Conservation Districts, and for other purposes.

Also—

Senate Bill No. 760:

A bill to be entitled An Act providing for the fixing of a minimum standard for all cement offered for sale, sold or used in the State of Florida and to authorize and empower the State Road Department of the State of Florida to write rules and regulations for the effectual enforcement of this Act; providing for the inspection of all cement imported and brought into the State of Florida from any foreign country and providing for an inspection fee to be paid for the inspection of all cement imported and brought into the State of Florida from any foreign country and offered for sale, sold, or to be used in the State of Florida; providing penalties for the violation of any of the provisions of this Act as well as any rule or regulation promulgated by the State Road Department; and providing for the enforcement of the provisions of and regulations made in pursuance of this Act.

"WHEREAS, during the past twelve months approximately thirty per centum (30%) of all cement sold and used in Florida was manufactured in foreign countries and imported and brought into the State of Florida, and,

"WHEREAS, in view of the fact that large numbers of dwellings, apartment houses, hotels and public buildings are constructed of cement or cement forms an integral part of the construction thereof, and,

"WHEREAS, it is of paramount importance to the public safety that only cement measuring up to a minimum standard should be offered for sale, sold or used in the State of Florida, and

"WHEREAS, much of the foreign manufactured cement imported and brought into the State of Florida has been of inferior quality, and

"WHEREAS, the importation and sale or use of foreign cement not only jeopardizes public safety but amounts to unfair competition being forced on this great industry in Florida.

"THEREFORE:"

Very respectfully,
J. A. CAWTHON,
Chief Clerk House of Representatives.

And Senate Bills Nos. 651 and 760, contained in the above message, were referred to the Committee on Enrolled Bills.

The following message from the House of Representatives was received and read:

Tallahassee, Fla., May 29, 1937.

Hon. D. Stuart Gillis,
President of the Senate.
Sir:

I am directed by the House of Representatives to inform the Senate that the House of Representatives has passed:

Senate Bill No. 1014:

A bill to be entitled An Act relating to sales and the publishing of Legal Notices of sale in any county where by reason of the sale or destruction of the court house, county officials are occupying temporary quarters; providing that all such sales shall be made and all such notices shall be posted at the door of the building occupied by the Clerk of the Circuit Court, and validating and effectuating any sales so made and any notices so posted.

Also—

Senate Bill No. 1099:

A bill to be entitled An Act to provide for the reimbursement of J. H. Harris, County Commissioner of Hillsborough County, Florida, for loss of salary in consequence of his suspension from office by the Governor of the State of Florida under Section 15, Article 4 of the Constitution of the State of Florida.

Very respectfully,
J. A. CAWTHON,
Chief Clerk House of Representatives.

And Senate Bills Nos. 1014 and 1099, contained in the above message, were referred to the Committee on Enrolled Bills.

The following Message from the House of Representatives was received and read:

Tallahassee, Fla., May 29, 1937.

Hon. D. Stuart Gillis,
President of the Senate.
Sir:

I am directed by the House of Representatives to inform the Senate that the House of Representatives has passed with House amendments:

Senate Bill No. 360:

A bill to be entitled An Act to amend Section 6405, Subchapter 9 of the Compiled General Laws of Florida of 1927 relating to fraternal benefit societies.

Which amendments read as follows:

House Amendment No. 1:

At the end of Section 1, add the following as a part of said Section 1: "Any fraternal benefit society now operating in this State or that may hereafter seek admission to do business in this State may issue benefit certificates to its members in accordance with its laws providing for the establishment of its membership into divisions and classes of the same age and entry, and may provide in its laws and certificates for the payments of benefits from special funds created for such purposes to the oldest membership of a division and class upon the death of a member in the same division and class."

House Amendment No. 2:

In title, strike out title and insert the following: "An Act to amend Section 4441, Revised General Statutes of Florida, 1920, same being Section 6405 of the Compiled General Laws of Florida, 1927, relating to fraternal benefit societies."

House Amendment No. 3:

In Section 1, line 1 (printed bill), at the beginning of the line strike out the word "that" and insert the following: "That Section 4441, Revised General Statutes of Florida, 1920, the same being."

And respectfully requests the concurrence of the Senate therein.

Very respectfully,
J. A. CAWTHON,
Chief Clerk House of Representatives.

And Senate Bill No. 360, contained in the above message, was read by title, together with House Amendments thereto.

Senator Tillman moved that the Senate do concur in House Amendment No. 1 to Senate Bill No. 360.

Which was agreed to and the Senate concurred in House Amendment No. 1 to Senate Bill No. 360.

Senator Tillman moved that the Senate do concur in House Amendment No. 2 to Senate Bill No. 360.

Which was agreed to and the Senate concurred in House Amendment No. 2 to Senate Bill No. 360.

Senator Tillman moved that the Senate do concur in House Amendment No. 3 to Senate Bill No. 360.

Which was agreed to and the Senate concurred in House Amendment No. 3 to Senate Bill No. 360.

And Senate Bill No. 360, as amended, was referred to the Committee on Engrossed Bills, and the action of the Senate was ordered to be certified to the House of Representatives.

The following message from the House of Representatives was received and read:

Tallahassee, Fla., May 29, 1937.

Hon. D. Stuart Gillis,
President of the Senate.
Sir:

I am directed by the House of Representatives to inform the Senate that the House of Representatives has passed with House Amendments:

Senate Bill No. 150:

A bill to be entitled An Act to amend Section 5995, Revised General Statutes of Florida, 1920, same being Section 8289, Compiled General Laws of Florida, 1927, and to repeal Section 5996, Revised General Statutes of Florida, 1920, same being Section 8290, Compiled General Laws of Florida, 1927, both being laws fixing and prescribing the power and jurisdiction of Justices of the Peace to try and determine misdemeanors committed in their respective districts. The effect of this Act being to abolish trial jurisdiction of misdemeanors in Justices of the Peace, and to vest same in County Judge; and providing that all proceedings now pending in the Justice of Peace Courts shall not be affected by this Act.

Which Amendments read as follows:

House Amendment No. 1:

In Section 1, strike out Section 2 and insert the following: "Section 2. Nothing contained in this Act shall be construed to in any wise affect the present criminal jurisdiction of Justices of the Peace in any County of the State of Florida having a population of over 50,000 according to the last preceding State census."

House Amendment No. 2:

After "1927" in third line of the title, strike out the following: "and to repeal Section 5996, Revised General Statutes of Florida, 1920, same being Section 8290, Compiled General Laws of Florida, 1927, both" and insert the following: "the Same."

House Amendment No. 3:

To the end of the title add the following: "And making certain exemptions for Counties in specified classifications." And respectfully requests the concurrence of the Senate therein.

Very respectfully,
J. A. CAWTHON,
Chief Clerk House of Representatives.

And Senate Bill No. 150, contained in the above message, was read by title, together with House Amendments thereto.

Senator Wynn moved that the Senate do concur in House Amendment No. 1 to Senate Bill No. 150.

Which was agreed to and the Senate concurred in House Amendment No. 1 to Senate Bill No. 150.

Senator Wynn moved that the Senate do concur in House Amendment No. 2 to Senate Bill No. 150.

Which was agreed to and the Senate concurred in House Amendment No. 2 to Senate Bill No. 150.

Senator Wynn moved that the Senate do concur in House Amendment No. 3 to Senate Bill No. 150.

Which was agreed to and the Senate concurred in House Amendment No. 3 to Senate Bill No. 150.

And Senate Bill No. 150, as amended, was referred to the Committee on Engrossed Bills, and the action of the Senate was ordered to be certified to the House of Representatives.

The following message from the House of Representatives was received and read:

Tallahassee, Fla., May 29, 1937.

Hon. D. Stuart Gillis,
President of the Senate.
Sir:

I am directed by the House of Representatives to inform the Senate that the House of Representatives has passed:

Senate Bill No. 1:

A bill to be entitled An Act to protect trade-mark owner producers, distributors and the general public against injurious and uneconomic practices in the distribution of competitive commodities bearing a distinguishing trade-mark, brand or name, through the use of voluntary contracts establishing minimum resale prices and providing for refusal to sell unless such minimum resale prices are observed.

Also—

Senate Bill No. 266:

A bill to be entitled An Act providing for and creating a State Board of Funeral Directors and Embalmers; granting to such board certain powers and prescribing certain duties; regulating the profession of funeral directing and embalming in the State of Florida; prescribing the qualification of funeral directors and embalmers; and providing for the examination thereof; fixing the license fees to be paid by funeral directors and embalmers; providing for the revocation or suspension of funeral directors and embalmers licenses, and review of the board's actions relating thereto; providing for the better protection of lives and health and the prevention of the spread of infectious and contagious diseases, and making unlawful violations thereof.

Also—

Senate Bill No. 636:

A bill to be entitled An Act defining agricultural insecticides and fungicides and providing certain regulations pertaining to the manufacturing and selling of same; defining certain terms and words used in this Act; providing for the labeling and prohibiting the misbranding of certain insecticides and fungicides; providing for the registration and licensing of the manufacturers or sellers of said products and for the registration of said products; providing for the taking and analysis of samples and reporting thereon; providing for enforcement of the Act and for license and registration fees to cover the expenses of said enforcement; providing for the duties of the Commissioner of Agriculture and the State Chemist in connection with enforcing the provisions of this Act; describing violations of the Act and fixing penalties for same.

Very respectfully,

J. A. CAWTHON,

Chief Clerk House of Representatives.

And Senate Bills Nos. 1, 266 and 636, contained in the above message, were referred to the Committee on Enrolled Bills.

The following message from the House of Representatives was received and read:

Tallahassee, Fla., May 29, 1937.

Hon. D. Stuart Gillis,
President of the Senate.
Sir:

I am directed by the House of Representatives to inform

the Senate that the House of Representatives has passed with House Amendment:

Senate Bill No. 356:

A bill to be entitled An Act granting a pension to Samuel M. Niblack.

Which amendment reads as follows:

House Amendment No. 1:

At the end of Section 1 add the following: "Nothing in this Act shall be construed to prohibit or prejudice the right of the State Pension Board under the General Law to remove the name of the above named pensioner from the Pension Roll if after investigation such board shall find that the alleged pensioner upon whose service the pension is based, did not render service during the War Between the States, such as would entitle him to receive a pension or that he deserted the service."

And respectfully requests the concurrence of the Senate therein.

Very respectfully,

J. A. CAWTHON,

Chief Clerk House of Representatives.

And Senate Bill No. 356, contained in the above message, was read by title, together with House Amendment thereto.

Senator Savage moved that the Senate do concur in House Amendment No. 1 to Senate Bill No. 356.

Which was agreed to and the Senate concurred in House Amendment to Senate Bill No. 356.

And Senate Bill No. 356, as amended, was referred to the Committee on Engrossed Bills, and the action of the Senate was ordered to be certified to the House of Representatives.

The following message from the House of Representatives was received and read:

Tallahassee, Fla., May 29, 1937.

Hon. D. Stuart Gillis,
President of the Senate.
Sir:

I am directed by the House of Representatives to inform the Senate that the House of Representatives has passed, with House Amendment:

Senate Bill No. 537:

A bill to be entitled An Act granting a pension to Felix Smith of Hamilton County, Florida.

Which amendment reads as follows:

House Amendment No. 1:

At the end of Section 1 add the following: "Nothing in this Act shall be construed to prohibit or prejudice the right of the State Pension Board under the General Law to remove the name of the above named pensioner from the Pension Roll if after investigation, such Board shall find that the alleged pensioner upon whose service the pension is based, did not render service during the War Between the States, such as would entitle him to receive a pension or that he deserted the service."

And respectfully requests the concurrence of the Senate therein.

Very respectfully,

J. A. CAWTHON,

Chief Clerk House of Representatives.

And Senate Bill No. 537, contained in the above message, was read by title, together with House Amendment thereto.

Senator Hodges moved that the Senate do concur in House Amendment No. 1 to Senate Bill No. 537.

Which was agreed to and the Senate concurred in House Amendment No. 1 to Senate Bill No. 537.

And Senate Bill No. 537, as amended, was referred to the Committee on Engrossed Bills, and the action of the Senate was ordered to be certified to the House of Representatives.

The following message from the House of Representatives was received and read:

Tallahassee, Fla., May 29, 1937.

Hon. D. Stuart Gillis,
President of the Senat
Sir:

I am directed by the House of Representatives to inform the Senate that the House of Representatives has passed, with House Amendment:

Senate Bill No. 72:

A bill to be entitled An Act granting a pension to Lewis Green of Hamilton County, Florida.

Which amendment reads as follows:

House Amendment No. 1:

At the end of Section 1 insert the following: "Nothing in this Act shall be construed to prohibit or prejudice the right of the State Pension Board under the General Law to remove the name of the above named pensioner from the Pension Roll if after investigation, such Board shall find that the alleged pensioner upon whose service the pension is based, did not render service during the War Between the States, such as would entitle him to receive a pension or that he deserted the service."

And respectfully requests the concurrence of the Senate therein.

Very respectfully,

J. A. CAWTHON,

Chief Clerk House of Representatives.

And Senate Bill No. 72, contained in the above message, was read by title, together with House Amendment thereto.

Senator Adams moved that the Senate do concur in House Amendment No. 1 to Senate Bill No. 72.

Which was agreed to and the Senate concurred in House Amendment No. 1 to Senate Bill No. 72.

And Senate Bill No. 72, as amended, was referred to the Committee on Engrossed Bills, and the action of the Senate was ordered to be certified to the House of Representatives.

The following message from the House of Representatives was received and read:

Tallahassee, Fla., May 29, 1937.

Hon. D. Stuart Gillis,
President of the Senate.
Sir:

I am directed by the House of Representatives to inform the Senate that the House of Representatives has passed—with House Amendment.

Senate Bill No. 421:

A bill to be entitled An Act to grant a pension to Mrs. Josephine Gavin of Hillsborough County, Florida.

Which amendment reads as follows:

House Amendment No. 1:

At the end of Section 1 add the following: "Nothing in this Act shall be construed to prohibit or prejudice the right of the State Pension Board under the General Law to remove the name of the above named pensioner from the Pension Roll if after investigation such board shall find that the alleged pensioner upon whose service the pension is based, did not render service during the War Between the States, such as would entitle him to receive a pension or that he deserted the service."

And respectfully requests the concurrence of the Senate therein.

Very respectfully,

J. A. CAWTHON,

Chief Clerk House of Representatives.

And Senate Bill No. 421, contained in the above message, was read by title, together with House Amendment thereto.

Senator Tillman moved that the Senate do concur in House Amendment No. 1 to Senate Bill No. 421.

Which was agreed to and the Senate concurred in House Amendment No. 1 to Senate Bill No. 421.

And Senate Bill No. 421, as amended, was referred to the Committee on Engrossed Bills, and the action of the Senate was ordered to be certified to the House of Representatives.

The following message from the House of Representatives was received and read:

Tallahassee, Fla., May 29, 1937.

Hon. D. Stuart Gillis,
President of the Senate.
Sir:

I am directed by the House of Representatives to inform the Senate that the House of Representatives has passed:

Senate Bill No. 1009:

A bill to be entitled An Act providing for relief from involuntary unemployment; providing a system of unemployment compensation in the State of Florida; declaring the public

policy of the State of Florida; providing for the administration of the Act by the Florida Industrial Commission; defining and providing for the functions, duties and powers of the Florida Industrial Commission in the administration of this Act; providing for an unemployment compensation fund by the levying of certain contributions on all employers of eight or more persons with certain designated exemptions and providing for the collection, appropriation, deposit, distribution and disbursement of the contributions and other monies which may be collected pursuant to this Act; defining conditions of eligibility for and regulating benefits; providing for the payment of unemployment benefits and establishing a procedure for the settlement and review of benefit claims; permitting reciprocal agreements or arrangements with the Federal Government or the other States of the Union; providing for the establishment of State employment offices and for the administration of all such offices as a division of the Florida Industrial Commission; providing for an Unemployment Compensation Division in the Florida Industrial Commission; providing for an Unemployment Compensation Administration Fund; providing penalties for the violation of this Act; providing for all the terms, conditions, requirements, limitations and prohibitions under which the said system of Unemployment Compensation shall be created and administered and the Unemployment Compensation Fund shall be collected, administered and disbursed; providing for the election and termination of coverage; providing for the creation of advisory councils; reserving right of amendment and repeal; and providing for the repeal of Chapter 17270, Laws of Florida, Acts of 1935, being

"An Act creating the State Employment Board, fixing the number thereof, and the manner of appointment, authorizing said board to employ certain personnel, providing for the compensation and expenses thereof and appropriating funds therefor and appointing said board as State agency to receive the benefits of the Wagner-Peyser Act and providing for reports to be made by said board."

Very respectfully,

J. A. CAWTHON,

Chief Clerk House of Representatives.

And Senate Bill No. 1009, contained in the above message, was referred to the Committee on Enrolled Bills.

The following message from the House of Representatives was received and read:

Tallahassee, Fla., May 29, 1937.

Hon. D. Stuart Gillis,
President of the Senate.
Sir:

I am directed by the House of Representatives to inform the Senate that the House of Representatives has indefinitely postponed, reconsidered, amended and passed:

Senate Bill No. 459:

A bill to be entitled An Act relating to Compensation of Tax Collectors and Tax Assessors when same does not equal the annual income of Three Thousand Dollars and necessary office expenses not to exceed Twenty-five Hundred Dollars per annum in counties having a population of not less than thirteen thousand three hundred and not exceeding thirteen thousand three hundred and sixty, according to the Florida State census of 1935, and prescribing the method of payment of such compensation and the fund from which same shall be paid.

Proof of publication attached.

Which amendments reads as follows:

House Amendment No. 1:

In title, line 3 (typewritten bill), strike out "Three Thousand Dollars," and insert the following: "Twenty-four Hundred Dollars."

House Amendment No. 2:

In title, line 4 (typewritten bill), strike out "Twenty-five Hundred Dollars," and insert the following: "Fifteen Hundred Dollars."

House Amendment No. 3:

In Section 1, line 7 (typewritten bill), strike out the words "Three Thousand Dollars," and insert the following: "Twenty-four Hundred Dollars."

House Amendment No. 4:

In Section 1, lines 8-9 (typewritten bill), strike out the

words: "Twenty-five Hundred Dollars," and insert the following: "Fifteen Hundred Dollars."

House Amendment No. 5:

In Section 3, line 8 (typewritten bill), strike out the words: "Three Thousand Dollars," and insert the following: "Twenty-four Hundred Dollars"

House Amendment No. 6:

In Section 3, last line (typewritten bill), strike out the words: "Twenty-five Hundred Dollars," and insert the following: "Fifteen Hundred Dollars."

And respectfully requests the concurrence of the Senate therein.

Very respectfully,

J. A. CAWTHON,

Chief Clerk House of Representatives.

And Senate Bill No. 459, contained in the above message, was read by title, together with House Amendments thereto.

Senator Gomez moved that the Senate do concur in House Amendment No. 1 to Senate Bill No. 459.

Which was agreed to and the Senate concurred in House Amendment No. 1 to Senate Bill No. 459.

Senator Gomez moved that the Senate do concur in House Amendment No. 2 to Senate Bill No. 459.

Which was agreed to and the Senate concurred in House Amendment No. 2 to Senate Bill No. 459.

Senator Gomez moved that the Senate do concur in House Amendment No. 3 to Senate Bill No. 459.

Which was agreed to and the Senate concurred in House Amendment No. 3 to Senate Bill No. 459.

Senator Gomez moved that the Senate do concur in House Amendment No. 4 to Senate Bill No. 459.

Which was agreed to and the Senate concurred in House Amendment No. 4 to Senate Bill No. 459.

Senator Gomez moved that the Senate do concur in House Amendment No. 5 to Senate Bill No. 459.

Which was agreed to and the Senate concurred in House Amendment No. 5 to Senate Bill No. 459.

Senator Gomez moved that the Senate do concur in House Amendment No. 6 to Senate Bill No. 459.

Which was agreed to and the Senate concurred in House Amendment No. 6 to Senate Bill No. 459.

And Senate Bill No. 459, as amended, was referred to the Committee on Engrossed Bills, and the action of the Senate was ordered certified to the House of Representatives.

The following message from the House of Representatives was received and read:

Tallahassee, Fla., May 31, 1937.

Hon. D. Stuart Gillis,

President of the Senate.

Sir:

I am directed by the House of Representatives to inform the Senate that the House of Representatives has passed—with House Amendment.

Senate Bill No. 333:

A bill to be entitled An Act designating and fixing compensation for the Tax Assessors and Tax Collectors of the several counties of the State of Florida, designating who shall pay such compensation and the funds from which payment shall be made, and providing the basis of commissions of the assessments and collections made, and repealing all Acts to the contrary.

Which amendment reads as follows:

House Amendment No. 1:

In Section 1, line 6 (printed bill), strike out the word "State" and at the end of line 16, add the following: "And the same rate of commissions shall be allowed and paid for assessing and collecting State Taxes."

And respectfully requests the concurrence of the Senate therein.

Very respectfully,

J. A. CAWTHON,

Chief Clerk House of Representatives.

Senate Bill No. 333, contained in the above message, was read by title, together with House Amendments thereto.

Senator Murphy moved that the Senate do concur in House Amendment No. 1 to Senate Bill No. 333.

Which was agreed to and the Senate concurred in House Amendment No. 1 to Senate Bill No. 333.

And Senate Bill No. 333, as amended, was referred to the Committee on Engrossed Bills, and the action of the Senate was ordered certified to the House of Representatives.

The following message from the House of Representatives was received and read:

Tallahassee, Fla., May 31, 1937.

Hon. D. Stuart Gillis,

President of the Senate.

Sir:

I am directed by the House of Representatives to inform the Senate that the House of Representatives has receded from its amendments to:

Senate Bill No. 71:

A bill to be entitled An Act to provide for the purchase distribution and administration of anti-hog cholera serum and hog cholera virus in the State of Florida by the State Live Stock Sanitary Board; making appropriation therefor and creating a fund to be known as the Serum Fund.

Which amendments read as follows:

House Amendment No. 1:

In Section 2, lines 5 and 6, strike out the words "at 50 per cent of the actual cost thereof" and insert the following: "without cost."

House Amendment No. 2:

In Section 4, strike out all of Section four (4).

Very respectfully,

J. A. CAWTHON,

Chief Clerk House of Representatives.

And Senate Bill No. 71, contained in the above message, was referred to the Committee on Enrolled Bills.

The following message from the House of Representatives was received and read:

Tallahassee, Fla., May 29, 1937.

Hon. D. Stuart Gillis,

President of the Senate.

Sir:

I am directed by the House of Representatives to inform the Senate that the House of Representatives has passed:

House Bill No. 301:

A bill to be entitled An Act to exempt property of religious and charitable institutions from taxes.

Also—

Committee Substitute for—

House Bill No. 1325:

A bill to be entitled An Act to prohibit the sale of merchandise or personal service by the State of Florida or its Representatives, in competition to any merchant or vendor of wares or merchandise or personal service who is licensed under the Laws of Florida to do business within the State, except under certain conditions as stated herein.

And respectfully requests the concurrence of the Senate therein.

Very respectfully,

J. A. CAWTHON,

Chief Clerk House of Representatives.

And House Bill No. 301, contained in the above message, was read the first time by title only and referred to the Committee on Finance and Taxation.

And Committee Substitute for House Bill No. 1325, contained in the above message, was read the first time by title only.

Senator Hodges moved that the rules be waived and Committee Substitute for House Bill No. 1325 be read the second time by title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And Committee Substitute for House Bill No. 1325 was read the second time by title only.

Senator Hodges moved that the rules be further waived and Committee Substitute for House Bill No. 1325 be read the third time in full and put upon its passage.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And Committee Substitute for House Bill No. 1325 was read the third time in full.

Upon the passage of the bill the roll was called and the vote was:

Yeas—Mr. President; Senators Adams, Beall, Butler, Clarke, Dame, Gomez, Graham, Hinely, Hodges, Holland, Johns, Kanner, Kelly, Kendrick, McArthur, McKenzie, Murphy, Nordman, Parrish, Savage, Smith, Sweger, Tervin, Tillman, Touchton, Walker, Westbrook, Wynn—29.

Nays—None.

So the bill passed, title as stated, and the action of the Senate was ordered to be certified to the House of Representatives.

The following message from the House of Representatives was received and read:

Tallahassee, Fla., May 29, 1937.

Hon. D. Stuart Gillis,
President of the Senate.
Sir:

I am directed by the House of Representatives to inform the Senate that the House of Representatives has passed:

House Bill No. 118:

A bill to be entitled An Act to provide for the purchase, distribution and administration of insulin in the State of Florida by the State Board of Health; making the appropriation therefor and creating a fund to be known as the Insulin Fund; and providing for a penalty for making fraudulent applications for same.

Also—

House Bill No. 119:

A bill to be entitled An Act to amend Section One (1) of Chapter 6883, Acts of 1915, entitled "State Road Department Created; Members; Terms of Office; Vacancies; Organization; Chairman; Secretary; Salaries; Expenses; Disbursements; Duties of Chairman; Headquarters; Bond of Chairman; Seal of Department; Duties of Secretary; Meetings; as amended by Section One (1) of Chapter 7328, Acts of 1917, as amended by Section One (1) Chapter 7900, Acts of 1919, as amended by Section One (1) of Chapter 11335, Acts of 1925, Extra Session, as amended by Section One (1) of Chapter 15720, Acts of 1931, Extra Session, as amended by Section One (1) of Chapter 15859, Acts of 1933, as amended by Section One (1) of Chapter 17281, Acts of 1935.

Also—

House Bill No. 175:

A bill to be entitled An Act providing for the retirement of certain Circuit Judges with pay and prescribing conditions required of them in order to secure pay on such retirement and making appropriation to carry into effect this Act.

And respectfully requests the concurrence of the Senate therein.

Very respectfully,
J. A. CAWTHON,

Chief Clerk House of Representatives.

And House Bill No. 118, contained in the above message, was read the first time by title only and referred to the Committee on Public Health.

And House Bill No. 119, contained in the above message, was read the first time by title only and referred to the Committee on Public Roads and Highways.

And House Bill No. 175, contained in the above message, was read the first time by title only and referred to the Committee on Appropriations.

The following message from the House of Representatives was received and read:

Tallahassee, Fla., May 29, 1937.

Hon. D. Stuart Gillis,
President of the Senate.
Sir:

I am directed by the House of Representatives to inform the Senate that the House of Representatives has passed:

House Bill No. 1702:

A bill to be entitled An Act relating to the distribution and expenditure of monies derived from gasoline taxes placed to credit of the several counties of the State of Florida, having a population of not less than 11,400 and not more more than 11,600 according to the 1935 State census for the State

of Florida, and conferring certain powers, authorities, directions and duties upon the said Board of Administration, and upon the Board of County Commissioners of the several counties with reference thereto.

Also—

House Bill No. 1611:

A bill to be entitled An Act relating to the compensation of the Clerk of the Circuit Court for services performed in suits or proceedings before the Circuit Court in all counties of the State of Florida having a population of not less than fifty-one thousand and not more than fifty-six thousand according to the State census of Florida for 1935.

Also—

House Bill No. 1812:

A bill to be entitled An Act creating a civil service for certain employees of the City of St. Petersburg, Florida, and creating a civil service commission for said city governing the appointment, employment, and discharge of said employees; defining the membership, powers and duties of said commission; designating the employees that come under the provisions of this Act and other matters relating to the establishment of civil service in said city; and providing for a referendum of said Act and when said Act shall take effect and other matters in regard thereto.

And respectfully requests the concurrence of the Senate therein.

Very respectfully,
J. A. CAWTHON,

Chief Clerk House of Representatives.

And House Bills Nos. 1702, 1611 and 1812, contained in the above message, were read the first time by titles only and placed on the Calendar of Local Bills on second reading.

The following message from the House of Representatives was received and read:

Tallahassee, Fla., May 29, 1937.

Hon. D. Stuart Gillis,
President of the Senate.
Sir:

I am directed by the House of Representatives to inform the Senate that the House of Representatives has passed:

House Bill No. 1501:

A bill to be entitled An Act to fix the salary of the Probation Officer of Wakulla County, Florida, and to Authorize payment thereof in monthly installments.

And respectfully requests the concurrence of the Senate therein.

Very respectfully,
J. A. CAWTHON,

Chief Clerk House of Representatives.

And House Bill No. 1501, contained in the above message, was read the first time by title only and placed on the Calendar of Local Bills on second reading.

The following Message from the House of Representatives was received and read:

Tallahassee, Florida, May 29, 1937.

Hon. D. Stuart Gillis,
President of the Senate.
Sir:

I am directed by the House of Representatives to inform the Senate that the House of Representatives has passed:

House Bill No. 1706:

A bill to be entitled An Act to make it lawful to take or catch fish of any kind for either private or commercial purposes within the salt water bays, sounds, inlets or rivers in the County of Flagler, in the State of Florida, and provided that such taking or catching shall be made with nets and provided by the laws of the State of Florida.

Proof of publication attached.

And respectfully requests the concurrence of the Senate therein.

Very respectfully,
J. A. CAWTHON,

Chief Clerk House of Representatives.

And House Bill No. 1706, contained in the above message, was read the first time by title only and placed on the Calendar of Local Bills on second reading.

The following message from the House of Representatives was received and read:

Tallahssee, Fla., May 29, 1937.

Hon. D. Stuart Gillis,
President of the Senate.
Sir:

I am directed by the House of Representatives to inform the Senate that the House of Representatives has passed:

House Bill No. 734:

A bill to be entitled An Act to correct errors and omissions occurring when drafting and enacting the Florida Workmen's Compensation Act, and to amend Sections 2, 4, 9, 10, 12, 13, 16, 17, 20, 24, 25, 27, 30, 38, 39, 44, 46 and 51 of Chapter 17481 Acts of 1935 as amended, being: "An Act to provide for and adopt a comprehensive Workmen's Compensation Law for the State of Florida; to provide compensation thereunder for disability or death resulting from an injury arising out of and in the course of employment; limiting, regulating and prohibiting resort to certain common law causes of action and/or defenses in cases falling within the purview of this Act; imposing certain duties and exactions upon employers and/or employees falling within the scope of this Law; defining the employments subject thereto and delimiting the application of this Act as applied to other employments and setting up an agency of the State for the administration hereof;" and thereby to prescribe certain qualifications for the Chairman of the Florida Industrial Commission; providing that certain Cabinet Officers shall serve as members of said commission; creating an Industrial Advisory Board; redefining the employments subject to the Workmen's Compensation Law; providing for a waiting period of seven days and for the non-payment of compensation during such period; providing for rules and regulations permitting two or more employers to join together in qualifying as self-assured, making certain changes with respect to death benefits; permitting the commission to designate in the awards a person to whom compensation is payable in the case of a minor or incompetent; providing for an election of remedies in case of third party liability; permitting an assessment of not more than three per centum upon premiums for purposes of administering the Workmen's Compensation Act; and providing for autopsy in compensation cases; and for disposition of death benefits to designated parties where no dependents exist; and further to amend such Act by adding thereto certain sections thereby providing for accident prevention and safety of employees in connection with the administration of the Workmen's Compensation Act by authorizing the Industrial Commission to make rules relating to safety in places of employment; requiring employers to maintain safe places of employment; permitting inspectors to see that such safety provisions are observed; providing for appeal from such rules and for penalties in case of violation thereof; surrendering in compensation cases on behalf of the State, its boards, bureaus, departments and agencies, and its subdivisions employing labor, the Sovereign's Rights to Freedom from suit and authorizing proceedings to collect compensation due employees thereof; providing double compensation in case of injury to illegally employed minors; and for other purposes.

Also—

House Bill No. 1921:

A bill to be entitled An Act providing for payment by the Board of County Commissioners of Jackson County, Florida to the incorporated municipalities of said county of certain portions of the monies received by said county and derived from gasoline taxes imposed under the Laws of said State, and providing the time and manner of payment of the same.

Proof of publication attached.

And respectfully requests the concurrence of the Senate therein.

Very respectfully,

J. A. CAWTHON,

Chief Clerk House of Representatives.

And House Bill No. 734, contained in the above message, was read the first time by title only.

Senator Beall moved that the rules be waived and House Bill No. 734 be read the second time by title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 734 was read the second time by title only.

Senator Beall offered the following amendment to House Bill No. 734:

At the beginning of Section 13, paragraph (d) (typewritten bill), insert the following "If an injured employee objects within twenty-four (24) hours to the medical attendance furnished by the employer, it shall be the duty of the employer to select another physician to treat the injured employee unless within the second twenty-four (24) hours the Commission determines that a change in medical attendance is not for the best interest of the injured employee."

Senator Beall moved the adoption of the amendment.

Which was agreed to and the amendment was adopted.

Senator Kelly offered the following amendment to House Bill No. 734:

Page 21 (typewritten bill), strike out Section 14 and insert in lieu thereof the following:

Section 14. That Section 39, of Chapter 17,481, Laws of Florida, Acts of 1935, be, and the same is, hereby amended to read as follows:

Section 39. (a) If on account of a disability or death, for which compensation is payable under this Act, the person entitled to such compensation determines that some person other than the employer is liable in damages, he may elect by giving notice to the employer and the Commission in such manner as the Commission may provide, to receive such compensation or to recover damages against such third person. This notice must be given within thirty days from the date of the accident.

(b) The giving of notice to accept such compensation shall operate as an assignment to the employer of all right of the person entitled to compensation to recover damages against such third person.

(c) Such employer on account of such assignment may either institute proceedings for the recovery of such damages or may compromise with such third person either without or after instituting such proceedings, provided no compromise shall be perfected unless and until the reasonableness thereof shall be approved by a Circuit Judge of the Judicial Circuit on which the damages accrued, and no such approval shall be given until proof has been made of five days notice to the person entitled to receive compensation under this Act.

(d) Any amount recovered by such employer on account of such assignment, whether or not as the result of a compromise, shall be distributed as follows:

(1) The employer shall retain an amount equal to—

(A) The expenses incurred by him in respect of such proceedings or compromise (including a reasonable attorney's fee as determined by the Commission).

(B) The cost of all benefits actually furnished by him to the employee under Section 13.

(C) All amounts paid as compensation, and the present value of all amounts payable as compensation, such present value to be computed in accordance with a schedule prepared by the Commission, and the amounts so computed to be retained by the employer as a trust fund to pay such compensation as it becomes due.

(2) The employer shall pay any excess to the person entitled to compensation or to the representative.

(e) The Commission may, if the person entitled to compensation under this Act is a minor, make any election required under subdivision (a) of this Section, or may authorize the parent or guardian of the minor to make such election. Where the employer is insured in compliance with the provisions of this Act, the insurance carrier shall be subrogated to the rights and remedies of the compensation and the date of the expiration of the policy.

Senator Beall moved the adoption of the amendment.

Which was agreed to and the amendment was adopted.

Senator Beall offered the following amendment to House Bill No. 734:

In Section 15, (typewritten bill), strike out paragraphs (a) and (b) of Section 15, and insert in lieu thereof the following:

Section 15. That paragraphs (a) and (b) of Section 44, Chapter 17,481, Acts of 1935, be and they are hereby amended to read as follows: "INDUSTRIAL COMMISSION"

Section 44. (a) As a guide to the interpretation of this Act, the Legislature takes due notice of Federal Social and Labor Acts and hereby creates an agency to administer such Acts passed for the benefit of employees and employers in Florida industry, and desires to meet the requirements of such Federal Acts wherever not inconsistent with the Constitution and Laws of Florida.

"(b) There is hereby created the Florida Industrial Commission, to consist of the Workmen's Compensation Division and such other divisions as may be created by law. The Commission shall consist of a Chairman and two other members to be appointed by the Governor. Not more than one appointee shall be a person who on account of his previous vocation, employment or affiliation shall be classified as a representative of 'employers,' and not more than one such appointee shall be a person who on account of his previous vocation, employment or affiliation shall be classified as a representative of 'employees.' Each Commissioner shall at the Commission's expense furnish a fidelity surety bond to the Governor in the sum of \$10,000 and shall serve for a term of four years from date of appointment and qualification. The Chairman of the Commission shall devote his entire time to his official duties and shall, to be fixed by the Commission, receive a salary of not exceeding \$6,000 per year, from State and Federal sources, for all services. The other two members shall receive no salary, but shall receive \$10.00 per day when actually engaged upon their official duties, plus actual traveling and subsistence expenses necessarily incurred when actually engaged in their duties when away from their residence and so engaged. Such per diem and expense allowances shall not exceed a total of \$1,000 per year, per member, and shall be payable out of said fund."

Senator Beall moved the adoption of the amendment.

Which was agreed to and the amendment was adopted.

Senator Beall also offered the following amendment to House Bill No. 734:

In title, (typewritten bill), line 23, strike out word "seven" and insert in lieu thereof "four."

Senator Beall moved the adoption of the amendment.

Which was agreed to and the amendment was adopted.

Senator Beall also offered the following amendment to House Bill No. 734:

In title, lines 18, 19, 20 and 21, (typewritten bill), strike out the words: "And thereby to prescribe certain qualifications for the Chairman of the Florida Industrial Commission; providing that certain Cabinet Officers shall serve as members of said Commission; creating an Industrial Advisory Board;" and insert in lieu thereof the following: "Creating the Florida Industrial Commission and providing for the appointment of three (3) members on said Commission and providing for the appointment of said Commission, consisting of the Chairman and two (2) other members; fixing their compensation and prescribing their duties."

Senator Beall moved the adoption of the amendment.

Which was agreed to and the amendment was adopted.

Senator Beall moved that the rules be further waived and House Bill No. 734, as amended, be read the third time in full and put upon its passage.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 734, as amended, was read the third time in full.

Upon the passage of the bill, as amended, the roll was called and the vote was:

Yeas—Mr. President; Senators Adams, Beall, Black, Butler, Clarke, Dame, Gomez, Graham, Hodges, Holland, Johns, Kaner, Kelly, Kendrick, McKenzie, Mapoles, Murphy, Nordman, Parrish, Savage, Sharit, Sweger, Tervin, Tillman, Touchton, Walker, Westbrook, Wynn—29.

Nays—None.

So the bill passed, as amended, and the action of the Senate was ordered to be certified to the House of Representatives.

And House Bill No. 1921, contained in the above message, was read the first time by title only and placed on the Calendar of Local Bills on second reading.

The following Message from the House of Representatives was received and read:

Tallahassee, Fla., May 29, 1937.

Hon. D. Stuart Gillis,
President of the Senate.

Sir:

I am directed by the House of Representatives to inform the Senate that the House of Representatives refuses to concur in Senate amendments to:

House Bill No. 1352:

A bill to be entitled An Act creating the offices of Chief

Traffic Officers and Deputy Traffic Officer in counties having a population of more than one hundred thousand by the last preceding State or Federal Census; requiring them to be Deputy Sheriffs, limiting their number and prescribing the duties and functions of such Chief Traffic Officer and Deputy Traffic Officers and their qualifications, terms of office and methods of appointment, their compensation and allowances for expenses and designating the fund out of which same shall be paid.

Which amendments read as follows:

Senate Amendment No. 1:

In Section 1, line 3 (typewritten bill), after the words "One Hundred" add the following: "Seventy."

Senate Amendment No. 2:

In the title after the words "One Hundred" add the following: "seventy."

And respectfully requests the Senate to recede therefrom.

Very respectfully,

J. A. CAWTHON,

Chief Clerk House of Representatives.

Senator Butler moved that the Senate do recede from Senate Amendment No. 1 to House Bill No. 1352.

Which was agreed to and the Senate receded from Senate Amendment No. 1 to House Bill No. 1352.

Senator Butler moved that the Senate do recede from Senate Amendment No. 2 to House Bill No. 1352.

Which was agreed to and the Senate receded from Senate Amendment No. 2 to House Bill No. 1352.

And the action of the Senate was ordered to be certified to the House of Representatives.

The following message from the House of Representatives was received and read:

Tallahassee, Fla., May 29, 1937.

Hon. D. Stuart Gillis,

President of the Senate.

Sir:

I am directed by the House of Representatives to inform the Senate that the House of Representatives has passed:

House Bill No. 1846:

A bill to be entitled An Act providing for, authorizing and relating to the removal of wild deer, by slaughter or otherwise, by the State Livestock Sanitary Board from certain areas in the County of Orange, in the State of Florida, placed under quarantine by said board; providing for the adoption of rules and regulations in relation thereto by the board; prescribing the powers and duties of the State Commission of Game and Fresh Water Fish under this Act; and providing penalties for the violation of the provisions of this Act and of the rules and regulations of the State Livestock Sanitary Board adopted pursuant thereto.

Also—

Committee Substitute for House Bill No. 138:

A bill to be entitled An Act to amend Section 27, of Chapter 14764, Laws of Florida, Acts of 1931, entitled "An Act providing for the supervision and regulation of persons, firms, corporations and associations owning, controlling, operating or managing motor vehicles used in the business of transporting persons or property for compensation over the public highways of the State; providing for regulations of safety and proper operation affecting the use of said highways; and the preservation thereof: defining auto transportation companies and providing supervision and regulation thereof by the Railroad Commission of the State of Florida, and providing for the enforcement of the provisions of this Act and for the punishment of violations thereof; and imposing a mileage tax and providing for the disposition of the revenue raised by the same; and providing certain exemptions; and repealing all Acts inconsistent with the provisions of this Act," approved June 15, 1931, relating to the operation of motor vehicles by railroad companies on the highways of the State, and providing the terms and conditions upon which said railroad companies may operate such motor vehicles.

And respectfully requests the concurrence of the Senate therein.

Very respectfully,
J. A. CAWTHON,
Chief Clerk House of Representatives.

And House Bill No. 1846, contained in the above message, was read the first time by title only and placed on the Calendar of Local Bills on second reading.

And Committee Substitute for House Bill No. 138, contained in the above message, was read the first time by title only.

Senator Kelly moved that Committee Substitute for House Bill No. 138 be placed on the Calendar of Bills on second reading without reference.

Which was agreed to and it was so ordered.

The following message from the House of Representatives was received and read:

Tallahassee, Fla., May 29, 1937.

Hon. D. Stuart Gillis,
President of the Senate.
Sir:

I am directed by the House of Representatives to inform the Senate that the House of Representatives has passed:

House Bill No. 1335:

A bill to be entitled An Act to provide in the interest of the public health for the inspection of poultry sold, and offered for sale in the State of Florida: to provide certain regulations for dealers: to prescribe the powers and duties of the Commissioner of Agriculture in enforcing the provisions of this Act: to provide penalties and punishment for violation hereof to provide for the seizure and destruction of poultry under certain circumstances: to repeal Chapter 17170, Laws of Florida, Acts of 1935: and to provide for other matters connected with the protection of the public health.

Also—

Committee Substitute for House Bill No. 660:

A bill to be entitled An Act to amend Sections 6562 and 6563 and 6589 of the Compiled General Laws of Florida, 1927, same being Sections 36 and 37 and 64 of Chapter 10096, Laws of Florida, Acts of 1925, same being entitled "An Act relating to corporations" relating to the consolidation and merger of two or more corporations.

And respectfully requests the concurrence of the Senate therein.

Very respectfully,
J. A. CAWTHON,
Chief Clerk House of Representatives.

And House Bill No. 1335, contained in the above message, was read the first time by title only.

Senator Johns moved that House Bill No. 1335 be placed on the Calendar of Bills on second reading without reference.

Which was agreed to and it was so ordered.

And Committee Substitute for House Bill No. 660, contained in the above message, was read the first time by title only.

Senator Kelly moved that Committee Substitute for House Bill No. 660 be placed on the Calendar of Bills on second reading without reference.

Which was agreed to and it was so ordered.

The following message from the House of Representatives was received and read:

Tallahassee, Fla., May 29, 1937.

Hon. D. Stuart Gillis,
President of the Senate.
Sir:

I am directed by the House of Representatives to inform the Senate that the House of Representatives refuses to recede from its amendment to:

Senate Bill No. 327:

A bill to be entitled An Act authorizing and empowering the Board of County Commissioners of Hillsborough County, Florida, to lease the orange grove belonging to the said County of Hillsborough and more particularly described as follows:

Beginning at a point 312.0 feet west and 33.0 feet north of the southeast corner of the southwest quarter of Section 32, township 28 south, range 19 east; run thence north 592.0 feet; thence east 287.0 feet; thence north 2023.7 feet; thence

west 770.96 feet; thence south 734.0 feet; thence west 1830.8 feet; thence south 1852.2 feet; thence east to point of beginning.

Less—

A right of way 50.0 feet each side of the center line of the Tampa Northern Railroad track, as located in the west half of the southeast quarter and the southwest quarter of the northeast quarter of said southwest quarter of Section 32, township 28, range 19;

Also—

Less the following described reservations:

(a) Road running east and west through above property.

(b) Burial plot, described as follows: beginning at the northwest corner of the above described property and run thence east 300.0 feet; thence south 300.0 feet; thence west 300.0 feet; thence north 300.0 feet to point of beginning:

(c) Tubercular hospital and grounds—described as follows: begin at a point 490.0 feet south and 476.0 feet east of the northwest corner of the above described property; run thence north 553.0 feet; thence east 295.0 feet; thence south 553.0 feet; thence west 295.0 feet to point of beginning.

(d) Nurses home and grounds—described as follows: begin at a point 524.0 feet south and 423.0 feet east of the northwest corner of the above described property; run thence south 135.0 feet; thence east 194.0 feet; thence north 135.0 feet; thence west 194.0 feet to point of beginning.

(e) Pumping station and water tower—described as follows: begin at a point 490.0 feet south and 1153.0 feet east of the northwest corner of the above described property; run thence north 59.0 feet; thence east 134.0 feet; thence south 59.0 feet; thence west 134.0 feet to point of beginning.

(f) County home, hospital and grounds—described as follows: Begin at a point 903.0 feet north and 25.0 feet west of the southeast corner of the southwest quarter of Section 32, township 28, range 19; run thence west 479.0 feet; thence north 321.0 feet; thence east 217.0 feet; thence north 132.0 feet; thence east 262.0 feet; thence south 453.0 feet to point of beginning.

Providing for the manner and method of entering into said lease, and empowering the said board to lease said property for a term of years, and for other purposes incident thereto.

Proof of publication attached.

Which amendment reads as follows:

In Section 2, line 2 (printed bill), after word "years" insert the following: ", and shall be restricted to horticultural and agricultural purposes and in no way shall be used for Commercial purposes."

And has appointed Messrs. Marchant, Bryant, and Dekle as a committee on the part of the House, and requests that the President of the Senate appoint a committee of three on the part of the Senate to confer and adjust the differences existing between the two bodies on said amendment to Senate Bill No. 327.

Very respectfully,
J. A. CAWTHON,
Chief Clerk House of Representatives.

Senator Tillman moved that the request of the House of Representatives, as contained in the foregoing message be granted, and that a Conference Committee on the part of the Senate be appointed to confer with the Committee appointed by the Speaker of the House of Representatives to adjust the differences between the Senate and the House of Representatives on House Amendment to Senate Bill No. 327.

Which was agreed to and the President appointed Senators Tillman, Parker and Adams as the Conference Committee on the Part of the Senate.

The following message from the House of Representatives was received and read:

Tallahassee, Fla., May 29, 1937.

Hon. D. Stuart Gillis,
President of the Senate.
Sir:

I am directed by the House of Representatives to inform the Senate that the Speaker of the House of Representatives has appointed a committee consisting of three members of the House, Messrs. Cooley, Cray and Kelly, as the committee on the part of the House in compliance with the provisions set out in:

House Concurrent Resolution No. 14:

House Concurrent Resolution providing for obtaining and compiling information concerning Communistic or Bolshevistic activities in the State of Florida.

WHEREAS, rumors are prevalent among the people of Florida certain subversive movements agitating Communistic, Bolshevistic or Pacifist theories of government, with a design to extend the same into our public schools and institutions of higher learning; and

WHEREAS, such theories of government or citizenship are opposed by all patriotic citizens, and are in violation of our State and Federal Constitutions, and contravene the ideals that shall insure the preservation of democratic government and free citizenship; and

WHEREAS, the Legislature and the people of Florida, for their own protection and for the protection of the youth of our State, should know to what extent these rumors are true, what communities are subjected to these misconceptions of government and citizenship, and who are responsible for same; THEREFORE

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES, THE SENATE CONCURRING:

That a Joint Committee of six (6) members, three (3) of whom shall be members of the House of Representatives to be appointed by the Speaker of the House, and three (3) of whom shall be members of the Senate, to be appointed by the President of the Senate, and all of whom shall serve without expense to the State of Florida, to investigate, obtain and compile all information and data available, or to be made available, concerning the existence and activity of any such Communistic, Bolshevistic, Pacifist or other theory of government subversive to our system of democratic government, and ascertain as to whether the same has been extended into the public schools and institutions of higher learning of Florida, and report the same in such form to be available for the information of the 1939 Session of the Legislature of the State of Florida.

Very respectfully,

J. A. CAWTHON,

Chief Clerk House of Representatives.

Pursuant to the provisions of House Concurrent Resolution No. 14, the President announced the appointment of Senators Holland, Tillman and Kanner, as the committee on the part of the Senate.

Senator Tillman moved that Senate Bill No. 1133 be withdrawn from the Committee on Finance and Taxation and placed on the Calendar of Local Bills on second reading.

Which was agreed to and it was so ordered.

UNFINISHED BUSINESS

Senate Bill No. 1111:

A bill to be entitled An Act creating a State Welfare Board and District Welfare Boards and providing for their appointment, qualifications, powers and duties; providing that said State Board shall be the agent for the United States, State, County and Municipal Governments in the administration of funds for the relief of unfortunates; and authorizing the said Boards to act as agent for the United States, State, County and Municipal Governments in the administration of any funds for investigations, social welfare work, or any other work incident to the public welfare of the United States, State, County and Municipal Governments; authorizing the State Welfare Board to promulgate rules and regulations necessary to carry out the intent and purposes of this Act; providing for the supervision of State and local institutions for destitute or dependent children and providing for the disposition, care, protection, support and maintenance of dependent children; authorizing the State Welfare Board to establish minimum standards of care for all local public and private institutions or agencies; creating the office of State Welfare Commissioner and providing for his appointment; providing that this Act shall not affect the enforcement of Chapter 9274, Acts of 1923, of Chapter 11834, and 13384, Acts of 1927, of Chapter 1360, Acts of 1929, and Acts amendatory thereof; repealing all other laws or parts of laws in conflict herewith; and making appropriations to carry out the purposes of said Act; and fixing the qualifications of persons entitled to monetary benefits or assistance under this Act.

Which was pending amendment at the hour of adjournment, having been read the second time in full on May 29, 1937, was taken up.

Consideration of the following amendment offered by Senators Holland, Butler and Parker to Senate Bill No. 1111:

In Section 23 (printed bill), strike out the section and insert in lieu thereof the following: "There is hereby appropriated each year from the General Revenue Fund of the State of Florida, the sum of \$3,600,000.00 to be used for old age assistance, dependent childrens' assistance, aid to the blind and for administrative costs of this act at the discretion of the State Welfare Board."

Senator Holland having moved the adoption of the amendment.

Together with the following amendment offered by Senator Tillman to the amendment offered by Senators Holland, Butler and Parker to Senate Bill No. 1111:

In Section 23, add at end of Amendment: "provided that any moneys allocated to Old Age Pensions or old age assistance by any law of the State of Florida shall be applied to the beneficiaries of Section 17 of this Act."

Senator Tillman having moved the adoption of the amendment to the amendment.

The question was put on the adoption of the amendment offered by Senator Tillman to the amendment offered by Senators Holland, Butler and Parker to Senate Bill No. 1111.

Pending the adoption of the amendment offered by Senator Tillman to the amendment offered by Senators Holland, Butler and Parker to Senate Bill No. 1111, by unanimous consent Senator Tillman withdrew the foregoing amendment to the amendment.

The question recurred on the adoption of the original amendment offered by Senators Holland, Butler and Parker to Senate Bill No. 1111.

Pending the adoption of the amendment offered by Senators Holland, Butler and Parker, by unanimous consent Senator Holland withdrew the amendment.

Senator McKenzie offered the following amendment to Senate Bill No. 1111:

In Section 23, line 16 (printed bill), after the words "Old age assistance," add the following: and to aid the needy blind.

Senator McKenzie moved the adoption of the amendment.

Which was agreed to and the amendment was adopted.

Pending amendment of Senate Bill No. 1111, Senator Beall moved that the Conference Committee report set for consideration at 12:00 o'clock noon, today, be postponed until 3:30 o'clock this afternoon.

Which was agreed to and it was so ordered.

Pending amendment of Senate Bill No. 1111, Senator Beacham moved that a committee be appointed to escort Miss Frances Owens, State Golf Champion, to a seat on the rostrum of the Senate.

Which was agreed to and the President appointed Senators Beacham, Butler and Kanner as the committee.

Senator McKenzie also offered the following amendment to Senate Bill No. 1111:

In Section 23, line 17 (printed bill), after the word "Act," strike the remainder of the Section and insert in lieu thereof the following: "and Four Hundred Thousand Dollars (\$400,000) is hereby appropriated each year from the General Revenue Fund of the State of Florida to be used for dependent children's assistance and for administrative cost of this Act at the discretion of the State Welfare Board."

Senator McKenzie moved the adoption of the amendment.

Which was agreed to and the amendment was adopted.

Senator McKenzie also offered the following amendment to Senate Bill No. 1111:

(Printed bill), strike out the words and figures: Three Million Five Hundred Thousand Dollars (\$3,500.00), and insert in lieu thereof the following: Three Million Four Hundred Thousand Dollars (\$3,400.00.).

Senator McKenzie moved the adoption of the amendment.

Which was agreed to and the amendment was adopted.

Senator Tillman offered the following amendment to Senate Bill No. 1111:

In Section 23, line 3, (printed bill), after the words "State of Florida" and before the words "the sum of" insert the following: Or any funds specifically allocated to Old Age Pensions or Old Age Assistance by any law of the State of Florida.

Senator Tillman moved the adoption of the amendment. Which was agreed to and the amendment was adopted.

Senator Beall offered the following amendment to Senate Bill No. 1111:

In Section 10, line 8, page 15, (printed bill), strike out the words: period, and add: all employees of both State and District Boards must have been residents and citizens and residents of Florida for 5 years during the preceding 9 years before employment; except that this residence qualification may be suspended for ninety days in cases only where the State Board may decide that no such resident is available; and this suspension shall not be renewed more than once as to the same person.

Senator Beall moved the adoption of the amendment.

Which was not agreed to so the amendment failed of adoption.

Senator Tervin offered the following amendment to Senate Bill No. 1111:

(Printed bill), at the end of Section 15 add provided that all existing County Farms, Hospitals and Homes may be taken over and maintained by said Board and no taxes shall thereafter be levied by counties for such purpose, except in-so-far as necessary to provide for persons dependent upon society who do not come within the provisions of this Act.

Senator Tervin moved the adoption of the amendment.

Which was not agreed to so the amendment failed of adoption.

Senator Savage moved that the rules be waived and Senate Bill No. 1111, as amended, be read the third time in full and put upon its passage.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And Senate Bill No. 1111, as amended, was read the third time in full.

Upon the passage of the bill, as amended, the roll was called and the vote was:

Yeas—Mr. President; Senators Adams, Beacham, Beall, Butler, Clarke, Dame, Dugger, Gomez, Graham, Hinely, Hodges, Holland, Johns, Kanner, Kelly, Kendrick, McArthur, McKenzie, Mapoles, Murphy, Parker, Parrish, Rose, Savage, Sharit, Sweger, Tervin, Tillman, Touchton, Walker, Westbrook, Wynn—33.

Nays—None.

So the bill passed, as amended, and was referred to the Committee on Engrossed Bills.

The following explanation of vote on the passage of Senate Bill No. 1111 was filed with the Secretary:

I vote for this bill because, in my opinion, it will, when in operation, go far to bring security to our aged and needy blind, and will help that portion of our dependent children who are in most distressing circumstances. I regret that this bill does not extend and continue the 1935 Act and the machinery set up therein without any break or interruption, which objective could have been accomplished in this bill. I fear that the result of creating a new set-up will be to delay the program and further postpone the time when the aged, the blind and dependent children may be assisted.

S. L. HOLLAND.

Senate Bill No. 431 was taken up and the consideration thereof was informally passed.

Senator Beall moved that House Bill No. 642 be recalled from the Committee on Appropriations and placed on the Calendar of Bills on second reading.

Which was agreed to and it was so ordered.

Senate Bill No. 745:

A bill to be entitled An Act to amend Chapter 16252 of the Laws of Florida, 1933, entitled "An Act to provide for the settlement of delinquent taxes on real estate in the State of Florida, and to further defer the enforcement of liens for such delinquent taxes, and for the assessment of lands upon or against which taxes are delinquent, and for the redemption of delinquent tax certificates with bonds" as amended by Chapter 17400, Laws of Florida, 1935, amending the said Chapter 16252 of the Laws of Florida, 1933; and to repeal all laws and parts of laws in conflict with said Chapter 16252 as herein amended.

Having been read the second time in full on May 28, 1937, and retained on second reading, was taken up and read in full for the information of the Senate.

The Committee on Finance and Taxation offered the following amendment to Senate Bill No. 745:

Strike out all after the enacting clause and insert in lieu thereof the following:

Section 1. That Chapter 16252, Laws of Florida, 1933 as amended by Chapter 17400, Laws of Florida, 1935, be amended by amending Section 1 thereof to read as follows:

Section 1. All tax certificates for State and County taxes against real estate in the State of Florida held by the State for taxes for the year 1935 and previous years and subsequent years delinquencies for taxes for the year 1935 and previous years under any such certificate, whether suits for the enforcement thereof are now pending or not, shall be held by the State of Florida for and during the period of time beginning with the date upon which this Act shall become law and ending with the first day of July, 1941 and during such period no such tax certificate or no such subsequent years delinquent taxes held or owned by the State of Florida shall be sold, transferred or assigned; provided that each and every year's taxes beginning with the taxes for the year 1936 and ending with the year 1940 are paid while current or are redeemed on or before November 1st of the year following that for which the taxes were assessed.

Section 2. That said Chapter 16252 be amended, by amending Section 2 thereof to read as follows:

Section 2. During the period of time mentioned, described and set out in Section 1 of this Act, and provided that all taxes for the year 1936 and subsequent years which have accrued are paid, the owner, mortgagee, or other person interested in the title to any such real estate upon or against which the State of Florida holds any lien for unpaid taxes shall be allowed to pay off and discharge, at any time, any one or more of such lien or liens for the year 1935 or prior years without regard to the number of years of unpaid taxes for these years existing against such land at the time of such payment, upon payment of the amount due for taxes, costs and charges, together with interest from the first day of April in the year following that for which such taxes were assessed, at the rate of five per cent (5%) per annum, and the fees of the Clerk of the Circuit Court incident to such payment.

Section 3. That said Chapter 16252 be amended, by amending Section 3 thereof as amended by Chapter 17400 to read as follows:

Section 3. All lands, against which the State of Florida holds any tax certificate or lien for delinquent taxes, shall be assessed for taxes for the year 1937 and subsequent years as provided by Section 769 of the Revised General Statutes of 1920, and Chapter 17403 of 1935; except those lands, upon which the owners have paid the 1936 and prior years taxes in order to receive the benefits provided by Chapter 16252 of 1933 as amended by Chapter 17400 of 1935, shall for the year 1937 and subsequent years be assessed by the Tax Assessor in like manner as those lands upon which there is not a tax certificate outstanding and in the hands of the State and if such taxes are not paid they shall be advertised, sold and a new tax sale certificate issued as provided by law. In case the taxes are not extended by the Tax Assessor as provided herein the Tax Collector is authorized to extend the taxes, for payment only, issue his receipt therefor, allowing the usual discount if payment is made during the discount period. A complete detailed list of taxes extended by and paid to the Tax Collector shall be prepared by him and filed with the list of errors and double assessments for that particular tax roll.

After the current tax paying period, any taxes accrued and delinquent against the lands under the provisions of this Act, shall be paid to the Clerk of the Circuit Court, together with interest, costs and penalties.

Section 4. That said Chapter 16252 be amended, by amending Section 4 thereof as amended by Chapter 17400 to read as follows:

Section 4. The provisions contained in Section 1 of this Act shall on July 1, 1941, be extended for an additional period of fifteen (15) years as to all land upon which the taxes for the years 1936, 1937, 1938, 1939 and 1940 shall have been paid in full as provided herein.

Section 5. That said Chapter 16252 be amended, by amending Section 5 thereof as amended by Chapter 17400 to read as follows:

Section 5. Delinquent taxes on any land included under

the provisions of this Act, for the year 1936 and subsequent years, shall carry the same penalty, interest and charges as are provided by the laws of the State of Florida relating in general to the sale of land for unpaid taxes.

Section 6. All laws and parts of laws in conflict with this, and acts amended hereby, as so amended, are hereby repealed.

Section 7. This Act shall take effect immediately upon its passage and approval by the Governor, or upon its becoming a law without such approval.

Senator Tillman moved the adoption of the amendment.

Pending adoption of the foregoing amendment, Senator Rose offered the following amendment to the amendment offered by the Committee on Finance and Taxation to Senate Bill No. 745:

In Section 3, line 5 (typewritten bill), strike out all after semi-colon and insert in lieu thereof the following: "Except where the owners of land have paid the taxes for the year 1936 and prior years in order to receive the benefits of Chapter 16252, Laws of 1933 as amended by Chapter 17400, Laws of 1935, such owners shall be allowed to pay the current taxes during the tax paying period to the Tax Collector who is hereby authorized to extend the taxes for such payment only, issue his receipt therefor allowing the usual discount if payment is made during the discount period. A complete detailed list of taxes extended by and paid to the Tax Collector shall be prepared by him and filed with the list of errors and double assessments for that particular tax roll. After the current taxpaying period any taxes accrued and delinquent against the lands under the provisions of this Act, shall be paid to the Clerk of the Circuit Court, together with interest, costs and penalties."

Senator Rose moved the adoption of the amendment to the amendment.

Which was agreed to and the amendment to the amendment was adopted.

Senator Beacham moved that the hour of adjournment be extended ten (10) minutes.

Which was agreed to and it was so ordered.

Senator Westbrook moved that the rules be waived and when the Senate adjourns at this Session it recess to reconvene at 3:00 o'clock P. M., today.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote and it was so ordered.

The question recurred on the adoption of the original amendment offered by the Committee on Finance and Taxation, as amended, to Senate Bill No. 745.

Which was not agreed to so the amendment, as amended, failed of adoption.

Senator Clarke moved that the rules be waived and Senate Bill No. 745 be read the third time in full and put upon its passage.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And Senate Bill No. 745 was read the third time in full.

Upon the passage of the bill the roll was called and the vote was:

Yeas—Mr. President; Senators Adams, Beacham, Beall, Butler, Clarke, Dame, Dugger, Gomez, Graham, Hinely, Hodges, Holland, Johns, Kanner, Kendrick, McArthur, McKenzie, Parker, Parrish, Rose, Savage, Sharit, Sweger, Tervin, Tillman, Touchton, Walker, Westbrook—29.

Nays—None.

So the bill passed, title as stated, and the action of the Senate was ordered to be certified to the House of Representatives.

The hour of adjournment having arrived, a point of order was called and the Senate took a recess at 1:15 o'clock P. M. until 3:00 o'clock P. M. today.

AFTERNOON SESSION

The Senate reconvened at 3:00 o'clock P. M. pursuant to recess order.

The President in the Chair.

The roll was called and the following Senators answered to their names:

Mr. President; Senators Adams, Beacham, Beall, Black, Butler, Clarke, Dame, Dugger, Gomez, Graham, Hinely, Hodges, Holland, Johns, Kanner, Kelly, Kendrick, McArthur, Mapoles, Murphy, Nordman, Parker, Parrish, Rose, Savage,

Sharit, Smith, Sweger, Tervin, Tillman, Touchton, Walker, Westbrook, Wynn—35.

A quorum present.

Senator Beacham moved that Senate Bill No. 808 be withdrawn from the Calendar of Bills on second reading and referred to the Committee on Judiciary "A."

Which was agreed to and it was so ordered.

Senator Hodges moved that the rules be waived and the Senate do now take up and consider House Bill No. 464, out of its order, at this time.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

House Bill No. 464:

A bill to be entitled An Act providing for the investment of funds held by executors, administrators, trustees and guardians, and repealing conflicting laws.

Was taken up and read the second time in full.

Senator Clarke offered the following amendment to House Bill No. 464:

At the end of Sub-Section (h) of paragraph (I) of Section 1 (typewritten bill), add a new Sub-Section, as follows: "(i) Provided, however, that the foregoing limitations and requirements shall not apply to Notes or Bonds secured by Mortgage or Trust Deed insured by the Federal Housing Administrator, and that notes or bonds secured by mortgage or trust deed insured by the Federal Housing Administrator are hereby declared to be eligible for investment under the provisions of this Act."

Senator Clarke moved the adoption of the amendment.

Which was agreed to and the amendment was adopted.

Senator Tillman offered the following amendment to House Bill No. 464:

In Section One (typewritten bill), at the end of Sub-Section (i) add paragraph: "(J) Annuity or endowment contracts with any Life Insurance Company which is qualified to do business in the State of Florida under the laws thereof."

Senator Tillman moved the adoption of the amendment.

Which was agreed to and the amendment was adopted.

Senator Tillman also offered the following amendment to House Bill No. 464:

In Section 1, page 7, line 1 (typewritten bill), strike out the letter (J) and insert in lieu thereof the letter (K).

Senator Tillman moved the adoption of the amendment.

Which was agreed to and the amendment was adopted.

Senator Hodges moved that the rules be waived and House Bill No. 464, as amended, be read the third time in full and put upon its passage.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 464, as amended, was read the third time in full.

Upon the passage of the bill, as amended, the roll was called and the vote was:

Yeas—Mr. President; Senators Adams, Beacham, Beall, Butler, Clarke, Dame, Dugger, Gomez, Graham, Hinely, Hodges, Johns, Kanner, Kelly, Kendrick, Murphy, Nordman, Parker, Parrish, Savage, Sharit, Smith, Sweger, Tervin, Tillman, Touchton, Walker, Westbrook—29.

Nays—None.

So the bill passed, as amended, and the action of the Senate was ordered to be certified to the House of Representatives.

By unanimous consent Senator Clarke withdrew Senate Bill No. 260:

Senator Beall moved that the rules be waived and the Senate do now take up and consider House Bill No. 444, out of its order, at this time.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

House Bill No. 444:

A bill to be entitled An Act to exempt from taxation, except special assessments for benefits, all dwelling houses built since the effective date of Article Ten (10) Section Seven (7) of the State Constitution the value of which when combined with the value of the lands on which such dwelling houses are located shall not exceed the sum of five thousand (\$5,000.00) dollars, when such dwelling houses are owned and occupied for home purposes only by the head of a family or a homeowner who is a citizen and resident of the State of Flor-

ida, or when owned by his lawful wife, or by both; and providing directions to the tax assessors for their guidance in assessing such property.

Was taken up and read the second time in full.

Senator Beall offered the following amendment to House Bill No. 444:

Line 10 of title, (typewritten bill), strike out the word: "only."

Senator Beall moved the adoption of the amendment.

Which was agreed to and the amendment was adopted.

Senator Beall moved that the rules be waived and House Bill No. 444, as amended, be read the third time in full and put upon its passage.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 444, as amended, was read the third time in full.

Upon the passage of the bill, as amended, the roll was called and the vote was:

Yeas—Mr. President; Senators Beacham, Beall, Clarke, Dame, Dugger, Gomez, Graham, Hinely, Hodges, Holland, Johns, Kanner, Kendrick, Nordman, Parker, Parrish, Rose, Savage, Sharit, Smith, Sweger, Tervin, Tillman, Touchton, Walker, Wynn—27.

Nays—Senators Kelly, Murphy, Westbrook—3.

So the bill passed, as amended, and the action of the Senate was ordered to be certified to the House of Representatives.

Senator Gomez moved that the rules be waived and the Senate do now take up and consider House Bill No. 1445, out of its order, at this time.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

House Bill No. 1445:

A bill to be entitled An Act to punish the sale, gift, barter or exchange of intoxicating liquor to Indians in this State, and providing penalties therefor.

Was taken up and read the second time in full.

Senator Gomez moved that the rules be waived and House Bill No. 1445 be read the third time in full and put upon its passage.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 1445 was read the third time in full.

Upon the passage of the bill the roll was called and the vote was:

Yeas—Mr. President; Senators Beacham, Clarke, Dame, Dugger, Gomez, Graham, Hinely, Hodges, Holland, Johns, Kanner, Kendrick, Murphy, Nordman, Parker, Parrish, Rose, Savage, Sharit, Smith, Sweger, Tillman, Touchton, Walker, Westbrook, Wynn—27.

Nays—None.

So the bill passed, title as stated, and the action of the Senate was ordered to be certified to the House of Representatives.

Senator Beacham moved that Senate Bill No. 937 be withdrawn from the Calendar of Bills on second reading and placed on the Calendar of Local Bills on second reading.

Which was agreed to and it was so ordered.

Senator Beall moved that the report of the Conference Committee on Senate Bill No. 430 be informally passed pending receipt of notice of action taken by the House of Representatives on the Conference Committee Report.

Which was agreed to and it was so ordered.

Senator Nordman moved that the rules be waived and the Senate do now take up and consider Senate Bill No. 1082, out of its order, at this time.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

Senate Bill No. 1082:

A bill to be entitled An Act authorizing and providing for the participation of the State of Florida in the New York World's Fair in New York City beginning during the year 1939; providing for a World's Fair Commission and making appropriation therefor.

Was taken up and read the second time in full.

The Committee on Miscellaneous offered the following amendment to Senate Bill No. 1082:

In the (typewritten bill) strike out Section 6, and insert in lieu thereof the following: "Section 6. For the carrying out of the purposes herein mentioned, there is hereby appropriated out of any monies in the State Treasury not otherwise appropriated the sum of Two Hundred Thousand (\$200,000.00) Dollars; provided, however, the Governor first determines the money is available."

Senator Hodges moved the adoption of the amendment.

Which was not agreed to so the amendment failed of adoption.

Senators Kanner, Rose and Murphy offered the following amendment to Senate Bill No. 1082:

Strike out Section 6.

Senator Kanner moved the adoption of the amendment.

Which was agreed to and the amendment was adopted.

Senator Kanner offered the following amendment to Senate Bill No. 1082:

Make Section 7 read No. 6.

Senator Kanner moved the adoption of the amendment.

Which was agreed to and the amendment was adopted.

Senator Nordman moved that the rules be waived and Senate Bill No. 1082, as amended, be read the third time in full and put upon its passage.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And Senate Bill No. 1082, as amended, was read the third time in full.

Upon the passage of the bill, as amended, the roll was called and the vote was:

Yeas—Mr. President; Senators Beacham, Beall, Black, Butler, Clarke, Dame, Dugger, Gomez, Graham, Hinely, Hodges, Holland, Johns, Kanner, Kelly, Kendrick, Murphy, Nordman, Parrish, Rose, Savage, Sharit, Smith, Tillman, Touchton, Walker, Westbrook, Wynn—29.

Nays—Senator Mapoles—1.

So the bill passed, as amended, and was referred to the Committee on Engrossed Bills.

Senate Bill No. 349 was taken up and the consideration thereof was informally passed.

Senator Gomez moved that House Bill No. 175 be recalled from the Committee on Appropriations and placed on the Calendar of Bills on second reading.

Which was agreed to and it was so ordered.

Senator Parker moved that House Bill No. 119 be recalled from the Committee on Public Roads and Highways and placed on the Calendar of Bills on second reading.

Senate Joint Resolution No. 906:

Senate Joint Resolution No. 906:

Proposing to amend Section 24 of Article III of the Constitution of the State of Florida, relating to county and municipal governments.

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF FLORIDA:

That Section 24 of Article III of the Constitution of the State of Florida, relating to county and municipal governments, be, and the same is, hereby amended, and as amended, is agreed to and shall be submitted to the electors of the State of Florida at the general election of representatives to be held in 1938 for approval or rejection. Said Section 24 of Article III, as amended, shall read as follows:

Section 24. The Legislature shall establish a uniform system of county government which shall be applicable, except in cases where local or special laws for counties are provided by the Legislature that may be inconsistent therewith. The Legislature shall, by general law, provide for the incorporation, abolition, government, jurisdiction, powers, duties, and privileges of cities and towns. Every city and town shall have the power, within the limits prescribed by general law, to determine its form of government, and to designate, alter or change the number, titles, powers, duties, compensation, terms of office and the time and manner of election or appointment of any and all officers and boards, to abolish any office or board, and to create such offices and boards as may be deemed proper for the government of such city or town. Such power shall be exercised as follows: Not oftener than once in every two years the legislative body of the city or town may, upon its own motion, propose any such change by ordinance but it shall be mandatory upon it to propose such changes as are petitioned by fifteen per cent of the qual-

ified electors; such ordinance shall be published in a newspaper having a general circulation in said city or town at least thirty days prior to the date of a general or special election of said city or town advising the qualified electors thereof that said ordinance will be submitted for ratification or rejection at said election; said ordinance shall thereupon be submitted at said general or special election, and if approved and ratified by a majority of the qualified electors of such city or town participating therein, the ordinance, together with the certificate of the officers canvassing the returns of said election, shall be recorded among the ordinances of said city or town, and a certified copy thereof shall be recorded in the office of the clerk of the circuit court of the county in which such city or town is located, and also in the office of the Secretary of State in a book to be provided in each of said offices for that purpose, to be known and designated as "Municipal Charters," and thereupon said ordinance shall become a part of the charter of said town or city and shall prevail over any provisions of general law inconsistent therewith, and the court of this State shall take judicial notice thereof.

All general, special and local laws and all municipal charters governing and relating to cities and towns shall remain in full force and effect until changed or altered under the provisions of this Section.

No local or special law relating to or dealing with the incorporation, government, jurisdiction, powers, duties, and privileges of cities and towns shall be enacted by the Legislature after the adoption of this amendment.

Having been read the third time in full on May 19, 1937, together with the following amendment offered by Senator Rose, which was pending adoption, was taken up and read in full for the information of the Senate:

In Section 24 (typewritten bill), strike out the entire Section and insert in lieu thereof the following:

"Section 24. The Legislature shall establish a uniform system of county and municipal government which shall be applicable, except in cases where local or special laws are provided by the Legislature that may be inconsistent therewith. Section 21 of Article III of this Constitution shall apply to all local or special laws relating to county and municipal government, and to all local and special laws which establish or abolish municipalities or which provide for their government or prescribe their jurisdiction and powers."

The question recurred on the adoption of the amendment.

Which was not agreed to so the amendment failed of adoption.

Upon the passage of Senate Joint Resolution No. 906 the roll was called and the vote was:

Yeas—Mr. President; Senators Adams, Beacham, Beall, Black, Butler, Gomez, Graham, Hinely, Hodges, Holland, Kanner, Kelly, Kendrick, McKenzie, Mapoles, Parker, Parrish, Savage, Sharit, Sweger, Tillman, Touchton, Westbrook—24.

Nays—Senators Clarke, Dame, Dugger, Johns, McArthur, Rose, Tervin, Walker, Wynn—9.

So Senate Joint Resolution No. 906 passed by the required Constitutional three-fifths vote of all members elected to the Senate for the 1937 Session of the Florida Legislature, and the action of the Senate was ordered to be certified to the House of Representatives immediately by waiver of the rule.

Senate Bill No. 907:

A bill to be entitled An Act providing for the appointment of a Joint Committee of the Senate and the House of Representatives to supervise the drafting of proposed General Laws relating to the incorporation, abolition government, jurisdiction, powers, duties, and privileges of cities and towns for submission to the 1939 Session of the Legislature of Florida in the event of the approval of the Joint Resolution proposing to amend Section 24 of Article III of the Constitution of the State of Florida relating to county and municipal governments at the general election to be held in 1938, and making an appropriation to such committee in the event of such approval.

Having been read the third time in full on May 19, 1937, which was pending roll call, was taken up and read in full for the information of the Senate.

Upon the passage of the bill the roll was called and the vote was:

Yeas—Mr. President; Senators Adams, Beacham, Beall, Black, Butler, Clarke, Dugger, Gomez, Graham, Hinely, Hodges, Holland, Johns, Kanner, Kelly, Kendrick, McArthur, McKenzie,

Mapoles, Murphy, Nordman, Parrish, Rose, Savage, Sharit, Tervin, Tillman, Touchton, Walker, Westbrook, Wynn—32.

Nays—None.

So the bill passed, title as stated, and the action of the Senate was ordered to be immediately certified to the House of Representatives by waiver of the rules.

Senator Beall moved that the rules be waived and the Senate do now revert to the consideration of Messages from the House of Representatives.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

MESSAGES FROM THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

The following message from the House of Representatives was received and read:

Tallahassee, Fla., May 31, 1937.

Hon. D. Stuart Gillis,
President of the Senate.
Sir:

I am directed by the House of Representatives to inform the Senate that the House of Representatives has refused to adopt the Conference Committee report on:

Senate Bill No. 430:

A bill to be entitled An Act making appropriations for the salaries of officers and employees of the State and for the current operating expenses of the Departments and Branches of the State Government for the annual periods, beginning July 1, 1937, and July 1, 1938.

And returns the Conference Committee report which reads as follows:

May 28, 1937.

CONFERENCE COMMITTEE REPORT

Hon. D. Stuart Gillis,
President of the Senate.

Hon. W. McL. Christie,
Speaker of the House.

Your Conference Committee appointed to consider the differences between the two Houses on Senate Bill No. 430, respectfully recommend to the Senate and to the House of Representatives the following:

1st. That the Senate recede from its position.

2nd. That the House recede from its position.

3rd. That the Senate and House adopt, following the enacting clause of said Senate Bill No. 430, in lieu of the contents of said Senate Bill No. 430, and in lieu of the amendments adopted by the House, the following:

SECTION 1 That the following sums under the headings "Salaries," "Necessary and Regular Expenses," "Special Expenses," and under headings representing expenses as herein listed, are hereby appropriated as the amounts to be used to pay Salaries, Necessary and Regular Expenses, Special Expenses, and other Expenses for each Department of the State of Florida as herein listed, to be paid out of the funds herein appropriated for the annual periods beginning July 1, 1937, and July 1, 1938.

THE FOLLOWING OUT OF GENERAL REVENUE BOARD OF CONTROL

	Annually
Salaries	\$ 5,850.00
Necessary and Regular Expenses	3,000.00
Special Expense	1,500.00

UNIVERSITY OF FLORIDA

Salaries	640,000.00
Necessary and Regular Expenses	170,000.00

RADIO STATION WRUF

Salaries	\$20,000.00
Program Expense	6,100.00
Remote Control Expense	1,000.00
Technical Maintenance Supplies and Equipment.....	4,000.00
Power	3,000.00
Telephone and Broadcast Loops	2,000.00
Other Necessary and Regular Expenses	3,900.00

Provided, however, if and when said Radio Station WRUF shall by the Board of Control be leased or sold the remaining funds hereby appropriated shall revert to the General Revenue Fund.

AGRICULTURE EXTENSION SERVICE

For all purposes, including the matching of Federal

Funds—	
Salaries	48,000.00
Necessary and Regular Expenses	39,000.00

AGRICULTURE EXPERIMENTAL STATION

Total Appropriation	\$412,040.00
(Including Field Laboratories and Special Items as follows:)	

Annually

For Laboratory in either of the counties named below, and Experimental Tract, for investigation of diseases affecting, and for experiments improving, tomatoes, celery and other similar crops grown in Manatee, Sarasota and Charlotte Counties, and the adjacent areas	\$ 15,000.00
Strawberry Investigations Laboratory at Plant City	6,300.00
Citrus Disease Investigations, Laboratory at Cocoa	3,500.00
Potato Disease Investigations	6,000.00
Pecan Insect Investigations Laboratory at Monticello	4,150.00
Celery Investigations, Laboratory at Sanford	10,000.00
Anaplasmosis Laboratory at West Palm Beach (Federal Project)	
Fumigation Research	3,062.50
Grape Pest Investigations	3,500.00
Citrus Experiment Station, Lake Alfred	46,451.00
Everglades Experiment Station, Belle Glade—	
Salaries	24,500.00
Necessary and Regular Expenses	20,839.00
North Florida Experiment Station Quincy—	
Salaries	10,500.00
Necessary and Regular Expenses	15,468.00
Subtropical Experiment Station, Homestead—	
Salaries	\$ 12,000.00
Necessary and Regular Expenses	9,000.00
Watermelon Investigations Laboratory, Leesburg—	
Salaries	5,600.00
Necessary and Regular Expenses	1,400.00
Special—Poultry and Turkey Industry, Teaching and Research—	
Salaries	5,000.00
Necessary and Regular Expenses	6,000.00
Special—Dairy Husbandry, Teaching and Research—	
Salaries	6,740.00
Necessary and Regular Expenses	8,800.00
Special to supplement Federal funds in furnishing detailed advance information on storms, frosts and freezes for the benefit of farming, growing, fishing and shipping interests	18,000.00
Blue Mold tobacco disease investigation—	
Salaries	3,600.00
Necessary and Regular Expense	1,400.00

STATE PLANT BOARD

Salaries	\$160,000.00
(Including West Indian Fruit Fly and Blackfly eradication and including for apiary industry and for eradication sweet potato weevil)	
Necessary and Regular Expenses	35,000.00
(Including West Indian Fruit Fly and Blackfly eradication and including for apiary industry and for eradication sweet potato weevil)	
It is hereby directed that \$10,000.00 of the above amounts is to be expended specifically for eradication of	

sweet potato weevil, and \$15,000.00 of the above amounts is to be expended in the interest of the apiary industry. Emergency Fund, not to be used unless found necessary by the Governor (For the Biennium)

50,000.00

FLORIDA STATE COLLEGE FOR WOMEN

Salaries	\$410,000.00
Necessary and Regular Expenses	120,000.00
Annually	
Salaries (Home Demonstration)	4,000.00
Necessary and Regular Expenses (Home Demonstration)	3,500.00

FLORIDA SCHOOL FOR DEAF AND BLIND

Salaries	\$ 77,525.00
Additional Instructors and Additional Personnel	7,475.00
Building repairs and improvements	10,000.00
New Equipment	10,000.00
Other Necessary and Regular Expenses	76,000.00

FLORIDA AGRICULTURAL AND MECHANICAL COLLEGE FOR NEGROES

Salaries	\$ 95,500.00
Salaries—Summer School	10,340.00
Heating System (One Year Only)	1,500.00
Business Office Equipment (One Year Only)	2,000.00
Other Necessary and Regular Expenses	21,500.00
Special—Necessary repairs to present buildings (For the Biennium)	34,000.00

FLORIDA STATE HOSPITAL

Salaries	\$450,000.00
Necessary and Regular Expenses	849,000.00
Incidentals	61,000.00

Provided, that the total amount expended by the Florida State Hospital annually from the above appropriation shall not exceed One Dollar (\$1.00) per day per patient; and in no event is the annual total cost to exceed \$1,360,000.00.

The increase appropriated under the item of salaries shall be used to increase the wages and salaries of the employees of the above institution now drawing Sixty Dollars (\$60.00) or less per month, and to increase the salaries of the medical staff and for additional medical staff.

FLORIDA FARM COLONY

Salaries	\$ 43,720.00
Necessary and Regular Expenses	98,280.00

Provided, that the total amount expended by the Florida Farm Colony annually from the above appropriation shall not exceed One Dollar (\$1.00) per day per patient; and in no event is the annual total cost to exceed \$142,000.00.

Furnishing and equipping new buildings now completed (For the Biennium)

\$ 14,000.00

The increase appropriated under the item of salaries shall be used to increase the wages and salaries of the employees of the above institution now drawing Sixty Dollars (\$60.00) or less per month, also to increase the salaries of the medical staff and for additional medical staff.

FLORIDA INDUSTRIAL SCHOOL FOR BOYS

Salaries	38,000.00
Necessary and Regular Expenses	100,000.00

Provided that the total amount expended by the Florida Industrial School for Boys annually under the above appropriation shall not exceed Ninety Cents (\$0.90) per inmate; and in no event is the annual total cost to exceed \$138,000.00.

Steam plant and sewage disposal (for the Biennium)

15,000.00

FLORIDA INDUSTRIAL SCHOOL FOR GIRLS

Salaries	20,000.00
Necessary and Regular Expenses	30,000.00

Provided that none of this money shall be spent on any general farm or to rent any land or to pay a farm superintendent.

FLORIDA STATE BOARD OF FORESTRY

Salaries	45,000.00
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Necessary and Regular Expenses	100,000.00
Special—Chapter 17027, for purchase and maintenance of State Forests and Parks	25,000.00

FLORIDA CRIPPLED CHILDREN'S COMMISSION

Salaries	16,500.00
Necessary and Regular Expenses	73,500.00

FLORIDA NATIONAL GUARD

Salaries	36,218.00
Necessary and Regular Expenses	58,000.00
Special Expenses	10,000.00

STATE SERVICE OFFICER

Salaries	5,500.00
Necessary and Regular Expenses	2,000.00

RAILROAD COMMISSION

Salaries	46,500.00
Necessary and Regular Expenses	28,000.00
For Additional Inspectors, and for no other purpose	9,000.00
Emergency for Southern Class Rate Case (For Biennium)	13,000.00
Provided, however, that this amount shall be spent when and if approved by the Governor.	

STATE LIBRARY BOARD

Secretary	3,000.00
Assistant Secretary	1,200.00
Necessary and Regular Expenses	2,500.00

STATE AUDITING DEPARTMENT

Salaries	90,000.00
Necessary and Regular Expenses	30,000.00
Additional Auditors to be used at the discretion of the Governor	17,000.00

JUDICIAL DEPARTMENT

Salaries	326,000.00
Necessary and Regular Expenses	225,000.00

SUPREME COURT

Salaries	57,759.00
Necessary and Regular Expenses	15,000.00
Repairs to the Elevator (for the Biennium)	3,500.00

BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS OF STATE INSTITUTIONS

Salaries (Employees of Board)	5,000.00
Necessary and Regular Expenses	2,500.00
For use of Pardon Board, Special Investigations	3,500.00
Special—Care of Monuments and Battlefields	500.00

STATE GEOLOGICAL SURVEY

Salaries	6,000.00
Necessary and Regular Expenses	3,500.00

GOVERNOR'S OFFICE

Salaries	27,180.00
Necessary and Regular Expenses	24,500.00

OFFICE OF SECRETARY OF STATE

Salaries	34,960.00
Necessary and Regular Expenses	4,500.00
For administering Chapter 16880; printing legal notices	1,800.00
Expense of printing general election notices (for the Biennium)	15,000.00

OFFICE OF COMPTROLLER

Salaries	137,686.00
Necessary and Regular Expenses	46,500.00

OFFICE OF STATE TREASURER

Salaries	35,000.00
Necessary and Regular Expenses	6,000.00
Special (bookkeeping machines) (for the Biennium)	4,000.00

Teachers' Salary Fund Distribution	10,600.00
Teachers' Salary Fund Distribution, Necessary and Regular expenses	1,000.00

STATE TREASURER-INSURANCE DEPARTMENT

Salaries	30,000.00
Necessary and Regular Expenses	7,500.00
Special (Investigations under authority of Insurance Commissioner)	1,800.00

OFFICE OF ATTORNEY GENERAL

Salaries	56,620.00
Necessary and Regular Expenses	12,000.00

STATE DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC INSTRUCTION

Salaries	78,500.00
Necessary and Regular Expenses	21,500.00

VOCATIONAL EDUCATION FEDERAL MATCHING FUNDS

	Annually
Smith-Hughes	\$ 84,785.54
George-Deen	87,700.47
Rehabilitation	22,699.53
Available under Couzens Amendment	10,000.00
State Administrative Fund (non-matching funds)	1,500.00

FOR FREE TEXT BOOKS

Each year, to augment proceeds from special millage, not to exceed	200,000.00
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MISCELLANEOUS

Everglades Fire Control District:	
Salaries (Annually)	15,000.00
Necessary and Regular Expenses (Annually)	23,500.00
Expense Collecting Revenue	250,000.00
Stationery, Executive and Legislative	3,000.00
Governor's Mansion—Care, upkeep, repair, painting	5,000.00
Governor's Mansion—Furnishing (Biennium)	2,500.00
Comptroller's Office—Burglary Insurance	1,500.00
Comptroller's Office—Fire Insurance	1,500.00
State Treasurer's Office—Burglary and other Insurance	5,000.00
Revolving Refund Fund	1,500.00
Capitol and Grounds—Lights, Fuel, Water, Ice, Repairs, Renewals, Plumbing, Supplies, Care, Upkeep, Salaries, Labor	35,000.00
For Caretaker and maintenance of grounds and property of the 4-H Club Camp at Camp McQuarrie, Lake County, Florida, and Construction of cottages at Camp Timpoochee, Okaloosa County, Florida, each (For Biennium)	1,000.00
Royal Palm State Park—Care, upkeep	4,000.00
Budget Commission—(Biennium)	2,500.00
County Financial Statements	9,000.00
Retired Officers and Employees	5,400.00
Printing Laws (Biennium)	5,000.00
Chair Americanism and Southern History—Chapter 12442	5,000.00
Confederate Museum, Richmond—Chapter 10105	250.00
For relocating, correcting and cleaning monument on Capitol grounds, or so much thereof as may be necessary to be expended under supervision of the Secretary of State (For Biennium)	1,000.00
Primary Elections (For the Biennium)	12,000.00
To Varina Davis, Chapter 1890, United Daughters of the Confederacy, for the purpose of maintaining Olustee Monument only	600.00
And the following sums are hereby appropriated from Special funds only, but none from General Revenue Fund:	

OFFICE OF COMMISSIONER OF AGRICULTURE

Salaries	30,000.00
Necessary and Regular Expense	41,000.00

STATE MARKETING BUREAU

Salaries	30,000.00
Necessary and Regular Expense	35,000.00

AGRICULTURE AND CHEMISTRY BUILDING

Salaries	2,500.00
Necessary and Regular Expense	2,500.00

STATE CHEMIST

Salaries	\$ 29,000.00
Necessary and Regular Expenses	8,500.00

BOARD OF ADMINISTRATION

Salaries	50,000.00
Necessary and Regular Expenses	9,500.00

AND THE FOLLOWING FROM SPECIAL MILLAGES:

STATE PRISON FARM

There is hereby appropriated out of General Revenue an amount which, when added to proceeds from Special Millage, will make up a total of \$565,000.00, of which for—

Salaries	\$150,000.00
Necessary and Regular Expenses	400,000.00
To increase salaries in lower brackets	15,000.00

Provided that the total amount expended by the State Prison Farm annually from the above appropriation shall not exceed Ninety Cents (\$.90) per inmate; and in no event is the annual total cost to exceed \$565,000.00.

All moneys accruing and/or received from the sale of prison goods are hereby appropriated for the use of this institution.

LIVE STOCK SANITARY BOARD

All moneys to come exclusively from the proceeds of $\frac{1}{2}$ mill special millage, of which for—

Salaries	\$ 33,300.00
Necessary and Regular Expenses	66,700.00
To pay cattle owners for dipping cattle	34,359.44

In no event shall the basic salary paid any employee be increased over the present basis.

From the millage levied for Live Stock Sanitary Board, there is hereby appropriated the sum of Sixty-five Thousand Dollars (\$65,000.00), to be used by the Governor, in his discretion, in the event of an emergency or to supplement any other appropriation in this bill made, to the end that no department or institution of the State of Florida shall have its efficiency curtailed by reason of such emergency or inadequacy of appropriation herein made, if there be any, or to be used by the Governor, in his discretion for any State purpose that he deems necessary for the public welfare...\$ 65,000.00

STATE BOARD OF HEALTH

There is hereby appropriated out of General Revenue an amount which, when added to proceeds from Special Millage, will make up a total of \$225,000.00, of which for—

Salaries	\$ 95,000.00
Necessary and Regular Expenses	120,000.00
Special—For additional Drug and Narcotic agents	10,000.00
Salaries—Tuberculosis Board	3,415.00
Necessary and Regular Expenses—Tuberculosis Board	2,325.00
Special—Tuberculosis Board	1,760.00

Section 2. All moneys received by the institutions under the management of the State Board of Control and the Board of Commissioners of State Institutions, other than from State or Federal sources, are hereby appropriated to the use of the State Board of Control, and the Board of Commissioners of State Institutions, for the respective institutions collecting same, to be expended as said Boards may direct, and said moneys shall not be deducted from the sums otherwise appropriated by this Act to said institutions.

Section 3. The State Board of Control is hereby empowered to fix and collect fees for materials, correspondence study and extension teaching, and expenses incident thereto, through the General Extension Department; and it is expressly provided that all such fees so collected by the said Board of Control shall not affect the State Appropriation or be deducted therefrom, and they shall be used only

for the purpose for which they are collected, and said fees shall be deposited, for accounting, with the Comptroller of the State of Florida, who upon the order of said Board of Control, shall draw his warrant or warrants on the State Treasurer in payment for the said materials, correspondence study, and extension teaching and expenses incident thereto. In its Biennial report, the Board of Control shall make report in detail of the expenditure of said funds, together with a report of the work done.

Section 4. Any sum or sums appropriated for salaries, if not required for such purposes, may be applied to other necessary and regular expenses of the department to which they are appropriated, but in no event shall any sum or sums specifically appropriated for expenses be applied to salaries.

Section 5. That any moneys appropriated by this Act for a designated period which, at the end of such period, remain unexpended or not contracted to be expended, the said unexpended balance may be used for like purposes in the second year of the biennium, but whatever balance remains unexpended or not contracted to be expended at the end of the biennium, the same shall revert to the fund from which appropriated.

Section 6. Federal money appropriated by the Congress of the United States to be used for State purposes, whether by itself or in conjunction with moneys appropriated by the Legislature of this State, is hereby reappropriated as far as it may be necessary to the purpose for which same was made available and insofar as the same is permitted by the Federal Statutes.

Section 7. Any section of this Act, or any special item of appropriation herein contained, if found to be invalid or vetoed by the Governor without over-riding action of the Legislature, shall in no way affect other sections or other items of appropriation contained in this Act.

Section 8. In order to avail themselves of the appropriated items in this bill, it shall be necessary at the usual time and in the usual manner, or when required by the Budget Commission, to present to the Budget Commission an itemized statement of their expenditures making up the total of the appropriations herein provided for, and for additional appropriations or less appropriations to make up such schedules as are necessary to advise the Budget Commission of the sum total of amount for salaries and for necessary and regular expenses to be included in appropriations allowed.

Section 9. All appropriations provided for by this Act are maximum appropriations, based upon the collection of sufficient revenue to meet and provide for such appropriations. If, in the opinion of the Governor, the revenues to be collected will be insufficient to meet the appropriations herein provided for, he shall so certify to the Budget Commission, and the Budget Commission shall adjust and/or reduce the Budget of any department or board by the consolidation of positions or duties to the end that efficiency and economy may result therefrom, and the appropriations kept within the revenue of the State. In the event the Budget Commission shall fail to adjust and/or reduce the budgets of the several departments after the Governor has certified that the anticipated revenue will not permit of the maximum appropriation herein made, the Governor is hereby vested with power and authority to effect such changes by executive order, it being the intent and purpose of this section to prevent any deficit in any department of the State Government, and that the revenues available shall be used in the most efficient and economical manner. Provided, however, that this section shall not be construed to mean that the Governor or the Budget Commission has the power to eliminate any Department of Government.

Section 10. The Board of Control shall determine the length of the school term of all educational institutions for which funds are appropriated herein.

Section 11. No moneys appropriated by this Act to pay any department or office shall be used to maintain a State Purchasing Department or similar agency.

Section 12. None of the appropriations from the General Revenue Fund provided for herein shall be available to any department of the State Government unless and until the head of such department shall prepare and file with the said Budget Commission full and complete statement of all anticipated revenues, receipts and expenditures in detail, reasonably to be expected by such department covering the annual periods beginning July 1st, 1937, and July 1st, 1938. Said

statement or budget shall include the amount which said department anticipates it will receive from all sources, including the appropriation from general revenue made hereunder, as well as all other revenues received from any sources whatsoever, and said statement of expenditures shall include all expenditures anticipated to be made, giving details as to the number of employees, amount to be paid employees and itemized estimate of moneys to be spent for expenses and maintenance of each department. Said statement or budget shall be filed with the State Budget Commission and approved by it prior to July 1st, of the fiscal year of which the appropriation is made, and in the event said budget shows said estimate of expenditures will be less than the estimate of revenues, the appropriation contained herein shall be diminished for that fiscal year by the amount shown in such budget as an anticipated surplus.

Section 13. All laws or parts of laws in conflict herewith are hereby repealed.

Section 14. This Act shall take effect on July 1st, 1937.

Respectfully submitted,

PHILIP D. BEALL,
ERNEST R. GRAHAM,
J. D. DUGGER,

On behalf of the Senate.

J. H. SCALES,
FRED P. BRYANT,

I agree to all report above except universities and livestock grouping.

C. PARKHILL MAYS,

On behalf of the House of Representatives.

To the said committee on the part of the House with the following instructions:

1. To confine themselves to the consideration of matters in said bill as to which there is difference between the two Houses.

2. To strike out no items as to which any appropriation is made by both Houses.

3. To include in their recommendations no items except such as may have been included in the Senate Bill or the House Bill except for an item of \$13,000 for the Railroad Commission to defray expenses of Southern Rate Cases and except also an item of \$15,000 for General Election expenses.

4. To itemize no appropriations except in the manner in which the same were itemized in the bill passed by one of the two Houses.

5. That the recommendation for no appropriation be less than the lowest provided by the House or Senate Bills, nor shall any recommendation be higher than the highest provided by such House or Senate Bills.

And respectfully requests the concurrence of the Senate therein.

Very respectfully,

J. A. CAWTHON,

Chief Clerk House of Representatives.

Senator Hodges moved that the Senate refuse to adopt the Conference Committee Report on Senate Bill No. 430, contained in the above message.

Which was agreed to, and the Senate refused to adopt the Conference Committee Report on Senate Bill No. 430.

Senator Hodges moved that the differences between the Senate and the House of Representatives on House Amendment to Senate Bill No. 430 be recommitted to the Conference Committee with the same instructions to the Senate Conferees as contained in the foregoing message from the House of Representatives.

Senator Tillman moved as a substitute motion to the motion made by Senator Hodges that the differences between the Senate and House of Representatives on House Amendment to Senate Bill No. 430 be re-referred to the Conference Committee without instructions to the Senate Conferees.

The question was put on the substitute motion.

Which was agreed to and the substitute motion was adopted.

The following message from the House of Representatives was received and read:

Tallahassee, Fla., May 31, 1937.

Hon. D. Stuart Gillis,
President of the Senate.

Sir:

I am directed by the House of Representatives to inform the Senate that the House of Representatives has passed:

Senate Bill No. 659:

A bill to be entitled An Act to provide for the prompt payment and adjustment of claims by those engaged in the dry cleaning and laundry business; to provide for the consolidation and regulation of the cleaning, dyeing, pressing and laundry industry under one board to be known as the Florida Dry Cleaning and Laundry Board; to provide for the creation of such board and to define its powers, jurisdiction and duties; to exempt the ordinary "washwomen" from the provisions hereof; to provide for the levying of license fees for the operation of such board; to provide for reasonable charges for service to provide for other purposes reasonably incidental; to repeal all laws in conflict; to provide that this Act shall only apply to counties of over 17,500 population.

Very respectfully,

J. A. CAWTHON,

Chief Clerk House of Representatives.

And Senate Bill No. 659, contained in the above message, was referred to the Committee on Enrolled Bills.

The following message from the House of Representatives was received and read:

Tallahassee, Fla., May 31, 1937.

Hon. D. Stuart Gillis,

President of the Senate.

Sir:

I am directed by the House of Representatives to inform the Senate that the House of Representatives has passed with House Amendments:

Senate Bill No. 389:

A bill to be entitled An Act creating the State Market Authority, providing for appointment of its governing body and defining its powers, duties and jurisdiction, authorizing the issuance of revenue certificates of the authority and providing for the payment thereof.

Which amendments read as follows:

House Amendment No. 1:

In Section 2, line 5 (typewritten bill), after the words: "Commissioner of Agriculture" add: "the Secretary of State, the State Attorney General."

House Amendment No. 2:

In Section 2, line 9 (typewritten bill), strike out the word "two" and insert the word "three."

House Amendment No. 3:

In Section 3 strike out Sub Section (n).

House Amendment No. 4:

In Section 3 (typewritten bill), at the end of the section insert the following paragraph: "Nothing herein shall be construed to authorize or empower the authority to purchase for itself or for others any staple field crops, meats, fish, poultry, dairy products, fruits, or vegetables."

House Amendment No. 5:

In Section 2, line 8 (typewritten bill), after the word "Agriculture" add "Secretary of State and Attorney General."

House Amendment No. 6:

In Section 3, page 1, line 4 (typewritten bill), strike out the words: "or convenient."

House Amendment No. 7:

In Section 3, Sub-section "Q," page 3, line 11 (typewritten bill), strike out the words: "or desirable."

House Amendment No. 8:

In Section 3, Sub-section "V," page 3, line 32 (typewritten bill), strike out the words: "or convenient."

And respectfully requests the concurrence of the Senate therein.

Very respectfully,

J. A. CAWTHON,

Chief Clerk House of Representatives.

And Senate Bill No. 389, contained in the above message, was read by title, together with House amendments thereto.

Senator Parrish moved that the Senate do concur in House Amendment No. 1 to Senate Bill No. 389.

Which was agreed to and the Senate concurred in House Amendment No. 1 to Senate Bill No. 389.

Senator Parrish moved that the Senate do concur in House Amendment No. 2 to Senate Bill No. 389.

Which was agreed to and the Senate concurred in House Amendment No. 2 to Senate Bill No. 389.

Senator Parrish moved that the Senate do concur in House Amendment No. 3 to Senate Bill No. 389.

Which was agreed to and the Senate concurred in House Amendment No. 3 to Senate Bill No. 389.

Senator Parrish moved that the Senate do concur in House Amendment No. 4 to Senate Bill No. 389.

Which was agreed to and the Senate concurred in House Amendment No. 4 to Senate Bill No. 389.

Senator Parrish moved that the Senate do concur in House Amendment No. 5 to Senate Bill No. 389.

Which was agreed to and the Senate concurred in House Amendment No. 5 to Senate Bill No. 389.

Senator Parrish moved that the Senate do concur in House Amendment No. 6 to Senate Bill No. 389.

Which was agreed to and the Senate concurred in House Amendment No. 6 to Senate Bill No. 389.

Senator Parrish moved that the Senate do concur in House Amendment No. 7 to Senate Bill No. 389.

Which was agreed to and the Senate concurred in House Amendment No. 7 to Senate Bill No. 389.

Senator Parrish moved that the Senate do concur in House Amendment No. 8 to Senate Bill No. 389.

Which was agreed to and the Senate concurred in House Amendment No. 8 to Senate Bill No. 389.

And Senate Bill No. 389, as amended, was referred to the Committee on Engrossed Bills and the action of the Senate was ordered to be certified to the House of Representatives.

The following message from the House of Representatives was received and read:

Tallahassee, Fla., May 31, 1937.

Hon. D. Stuart Gillis,
President of the Senate.
Sir:

I am directed by the House of Representatives to inform the Senate that the House of Representatives has amended, passed, reconsidered and failed to pass:

Senate Bill No. 839:

A bill to be entitled "An Act defining the proper person to maintain actions for injunctions to abate public nuisances in certain classes of cases defined herein; and providing for the dissolution of any injunctions previously granted by any court in this State, where complainant is not a party described herein."

Very respectfully,
J. A. CAWTHON,
Chief Clerk House of Representatives.

The following message from the House of Representatives was received and read:

Tallahassee, Fla., May 31, 1937.

Hon. D. Stuart Gillis,
President of the Senate.
Sir:

I am directed by the House of Representatives to inform the Senate that the House of Representatives returns as requested:

Senate Bill No. 502:

A bill to be entitled An Act fixing and prescribing bases for determining the salary and compensation of the County Assessors of Taxes in counties having a population of not less than 28,000, and not more than 29,000, according to the last census, State or Federal; and fixing maximum average yearly salary for such Tax Assessors.

Very respectfully,
J. A. CAWTHON,
Chief Clerk House of Representatives.

Senator Westbrook moved that the rules be waived and the Senate do now reconsider the vote by which Senate Bill No. 502 passed the Senate on April 29, 1937.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote, and the Senate

reconsidered the vote by which Senate Bill No. 502 passed the Senate on April 29, 1937.

The question recurred on the passage of Senate Bill No. 502.

Pending roll call, by unanimous consent, Senator Westbrook withdrew Senate Bill No. 502.

The following message from the House of Representatives was received and read:

Tallahassee, Fla., May 31, 1937.

Hon. D. Stuart Gillis,
President of the Senate.
Sir:

I am directed by the House of Representatives to inform the Senate that the House of Representatives has passed:

Senate Bill No. 551:

A bill to be entitled An Act to amend Section 143 Revised General Statutes of Florida, 1920 (Chapter 173, Compiled General Laws of 1927), relating to the depositing of State funds with banks and trust companies; requiring the pledging of collateral and permitting the payment of interest.

Also—

Senate Bill No. 1095:

A bill to be entitled An Act to amend Chapter 14717, Acts of the Legislature of Florida of 1931, same being a revision of all laws relating to Everglades Drainage District, and particularly Section 2 as amended by Chapter 16993, Acts of 1935, so as to provide for the appointment of a treasurer of said district by the Board of Commissioners, and defining his duties and powers; also by amending Sections 5, 7, 8, 52, 53 and 54, as amended by Chapter 16993, Acts of 1935; repealing Section 71 of said Act; changing the zones of said district for the purposes of taxation as defined by said Chapter 14717; levying taxes and special assessments for Everglades Drainage District upon the lands therein according to said amended zones; to provide for the collection of such taxes and assessments; providing for the cancellation of certain taxes and tax liens outstanding against lands within said district, and the cancellation of certain assessments against lands hereafter acquired by the Federal Government for Park and Reservation purposes, and to exempt future taxes on such lands; declaring the rights of said district in and to certain properties acquired and used, and authorizing the Board of Commissioners to make rules and regulations for the use, maintenance and operation of its properties; and providing penalties for the violation of such regulations and provisions of this Act.

Proof of publication attached.

Very respectfully,
J. A. CAWTHON,

Chief Clerk House of Representatives.

And Senate Bills Nos. 551 and 1095, contained in the above message, were referred to the Committee on Enrolled Bills.

The following message from the House of Representatives was received and read:

Tallahassee, Fla., May 29, 1937.

Hon. D. Stuart Gillis,
President of the Senate.
Sir:

I am directed by the House of Representatives to inform the Senate that the House of Representatives has passed, with House Amendments:

Senate Bill No. 957:

A bill to be entitled An Act to authorize the County of Putnam and Board of County Commissioners of Putnam County, Florida, to make special appropriation, for free library service and providing for the expenditure thereof; and providing for the Board of County Commissioners to contract with the Palatka Public Library for such services.

Which amendments read as follows:

House Amendment No. 1:

In title, line 7 (typewritten bill), strike out the words "Palatka Public Library" and insert the following: "Public Libraries of Putnam County, Florida."

House Amendment No. 2:

In Section 2, line 3 (typewritten bill), strike out the words "Palatka Public Library" and insert the following: "Public Libraries of Putnam County, Florida."

House Amendment No. 3:

In Section 2, line 5 (typewritten bill), strike out the words "Palatka Public Library" and insert the following: "Public Libraries of Putnam County, Florida."

House Amendment No. 4:

In Section 3, line 3 (typewritten bill), at end of paragraph change period (.) to semi-colon (;) and insert the following: "Provided that before any money is appropriated by the Board of County Commissioners for library purpose, public notice must be given stating time and place of meeting and matter to be considered by publication in two newspapers published in Putnam County, Florida, for one insertion, the same to be run not less than ten days and not more than thirty days before said meeting, at which said appropriation is to be considered."

House Amendment No. 5:

In Section 4, line 1 (typewritten bill), strike out the words "Palatka Public Library is" and insert the following: "Public Libraries of Putnam County, Florida, are."

House Amendment No. 6:

In Section 4, line 6 and 7 (typewritten bill), strike out the words "Palatka Public Library within the corporate limits of the City of Palatka" and insert the following: "Public Libraries of Putnam County, Florida, within the limits of said town or city."

House Amendment No. 7:

In Section 5, line 1 (typewritten bill), strike out the words "City of Palatka" and insert the following: "City or Towns."

House Amendment No. 8:

In Section 5, line 3 (typewritten bill), strike out the word "City" and insert the following: "cities or towns."

And respectfully requests the concurrence of the Senate therein.

Very respectfully,

J. A. CAWTHON,

Chief Clerk House of Representatives.

And Senate Bill No. 957, contained in the above message, was read by title, together with House Amendments thereto.

Senator McKenzie moved that the Senate do concur in House Amendment No. 1 to Senate Bill No. 957.

Which was agreed to and the Senate concurred in House Amendment No. 1 to Senate Bill No. 957.

Senator McKenzie moved that the Senate do concur in House Amendment No. 2 to Senate Bill No. 957.

Which was agreed to and the Senate concurred in House Amendment No. 2 to Senate Bill No. 957.

Senator McKenzie moved that the Senate do concur in House Amendment No. 3 to Senate Bill No. 957.

Which was agreed to and the Senate concurred in House Amendment No. 3 to Senate Bill No. 957.

Senator McKenzie moved that the Senate do concur in House Amendment No. 4 to Senate Bill No. 957.

Which was agreed to and the Senate concurred in House Amendment No. 4 to Senate Bill No. 957.

Senator McKenzie moved that the Senate do concur in House Amendment No. 5 to Senate Bill No. 957.

Which was agreed to and the Senate concurred in House Amendment No. 5 to Senate Bill No. 957.

Senator McKenzie moved that the Senate do concur in House Amendment No. 6 to Senate Bill No. 957.

Which was agreed to and the Senate concurred in House Amendment No. 6 to Senate Bill No. 957.

Senator McKenzie moved that the Senate do concur in House Amendment No. 7 to Senate Bill No. 957.

Which was agreed to and the Senate concurred in House Amendment No. 7 to Senate Bill No. 957.

Senator McKenzie moved that the Senate do concur in House Amendment No. 8 to Senate Bill No. 957.

Which was agreed to and the Senate concurred in House Amendment No. 8 to Senate Bill No. 957.

And Senate Bill No. 957, as amended, was referred to the Committee on Engrossed Bills, and the action of the Senate was ordered to be certified to the House of Representatives.

Senator Beacham moved that the time of adjournment be

extended until two (2) minutes after the Senate completes the consideration of messages from the House of Representatives and the Introduction of Bills.

Which was agreed to and it was so ordered.

The following message from the House of Representatives was received and read:

Tallahassee, Fla., May 31, 1937.

Hon. D. Stuart Gillis,

President of the Senate.

Sir:

I am directed by the House of Representatives to inform the Senate that the House of Representatives has passed—with House Amendment:

Senate Bill No. 510:

A bill to be entitled An Act to regulate and control the distribution of fluid milk and cream and for this purpose to create a Florida Milk Board, defining its jurisdiction, powers and duties during the existing emergency and to declare an emergency exists. To provide for the legal succession by this board herein created of the Milk Control Board established by Chapter 17103 of Laws of Florida of 1935.

Which amendment reads as follows:

House Amendment No. 1:

In Section 9, page 16, line 7, strike out the word "per."

And respectfully requests the concurrence of the Senate therein.

Very respectfully,

J. A. CAWTHON,

Chief Clerk House of Representatives.

And Senate Bill No. 510, contained in the above message, was read by title, together with House Amendment thereto.

Senator Dame moved that the Senate do concur in House Amendment No. 1 to Senate Bill No. 510.

Which was agreed to and the Senate concurred in House Amendment No. 1 to Senate Bill No. 510.

And Senate Bill No. 510, as amended, was referred to the Committee on Engrossed Bills, and the action of the Senate was ordered to be certified to the House of Representatives.

The following message from the House of Representatives was received and read:

Tallahassee, Fla., May 31, 1937.

Hon. D. Stuart Gillis,

President of the Senate.

Sir:

I am directed by the House of Representatives to inform the Senate that the House of Representatives has passed:

Committee Substitute for House Bill No. 281:

A bill to be entitled An Act providing for the repayment to every county and/or Special Road and Bridge District or other special taxing district of such county of all amounts which shall have been furnished, advanced, paid out, distributed or expended in the construction or building within such county of any road which shall have been designated a State Road since the enactment of Chapter 15659, Acts of 1931; directing the proceedings to bring about such payment, and fixing the basis of such payment.

Also—

House Bill No. 719:

A bill to be entitled An Act relating to fishing and making it unlawful to take from the fresh waters of the State of Florida any large or small mouth black bass during the period of each year beginning March 15th and ending May 20th; and providing penalties for the violation of this Act.

Also—

House Bill No. 1933:

A bill to be entitled An Act creating Walton County Bridge Authority, providing for its powers and duties, authorizing it to construct a bridge or bridge and approaches thereto, across Choctawhatchee Bay or Choctawhatchee River, connecting State Road No. 10 and State Road No. 115, to maintain and operate such bridge or bridges and charge tolls and rentals for the use thereof and to issue revenue bonds, providing for the payment of such bonds, and authorizing the State of Florida and/or the County of Walton, Florida, to grant the use of their lands and/or acquire lands therefor; and to grant to the State Road Department, State of Florida.

the right to lease such bridge or bridges for a period of twenty years.

Proof of Publication attached.

And respectfully requests the concurrence of the Senate therein.

Very respectfully,

J. A. CAWTHON,

Chief Clerk House of Representatives.

And Committee Substitute for House Bill No. 281, contained in the above message, was read the first time by title only and referred to the Committee on Public Roads and Highways.

And House Bill No. 719, contained in the above message, was read the first time by title only.

Senator Westbrook moved that House Bill No. 719 be placed on the Calendar of Bills on second reading without reference.

Which was agreed to and House Bill No. 719 was placed on the Calendar of Bills on second reading without reference.

And House Bill No. 1933, contained in the above message, was read the first time by title only and placed on the Calendar of Local Bills on second reading.

The following message from the House of Representatives was received and read:

Tallahassee, Fla., May 31, 1937.

Hon. D. Stuart Gillis,
President of the Senate.

Sir:

I am directed by the House of Representatives to inform the Senate that the House of Representatives returns as requested:

House Bill No. 1761:

A bill to be entitled An Act to establish a municipality to be known as the Town of Fern Park in Seminole County, Florida, and to define its territorial boundaries and to provide for its government and to prescribe its jurisdiction and powers.

Very respectfully,

J. A. CAWTHON,

Chief Clerk House of Representatives.

Senator Parrish moved that the rules be waived and the Senate do now reconsider the vote by which House Bill No. 1761 passed the Senate on May 27, 1937.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote, and the Senate reconsidered the vote by which House Bill No. 1761 passed the Senate on May 27, 1937.

The question recurred on the passage of House Bill No. 1761.

Pending roll call, Senator Parrish moved that the further consideration of House Bill No. 1761 be informally passed.

Which was agreed to and it was so ordered.

The following message from the House of Representatives was received and read:

Tallahassee, Fla., May 31, 1937.

Hon. D. Stuart Gillis,
President of the Senate.

Sir:

I am directed by the House of Representatives to inform the Senate that the House of Representatives concurred in Senate Amendment to:

House Bill No. 828:

A bill to be entitled An Act to provide for the naming, qualifications, duties, salaries and employment of a chief probation deputy, and assistant probation deputies, in lieu of probation officers and assistant probation officers, in any of those counties of this State which now have, or which may hereafter have, a population of over one hundred and eighty thousand people; to provide that the Judge of the Juvenile Court in such counties shall select and approve all employees especially engaged for duty and service in such courts; to provide for the assistance of such courts by other officers of the law; and to repeal all laws or parts of laws in conflict.

Which amendment reads as follows:

Amendment No. 1:

Strike out entire Section 11 and insert in lieu thereof the following:

Section 11. This Act is not intended to create any office, or authorize the appointment or employment of any officer,

or to delegate any authority, or duty, or power, or right to exercise any sovereignty or sovereign powers of the State, such as can only be legally performed or exercised by an officer, but is intended to authorize the employment and approval of employees only, without definite tenure, and to perform duties under the direction of the Judge of the Juvenile Court, and to assist such court in dealing with dependent and delinquent children, and with any adults, of whom such court, or the Judge of such court, may have legal jurisdiction so far as same may be done or performed by an employee and where such performance does not involve the exercise of an independent governmental discretion, judgment, or authority legally required to be exercised only by an officer. Any duty, power, or authority otherwise herein sought to be conferred on any employee herein authorized, in conflict with such purpose and intention, shall be disregarded and held null and void, but without in any manner otherwise affecting the validity of the employment of any such employee, or the right of such employee, to perform other legal duties herein authorized, under the conditions herein recited and in this Act.

Very respectfully,

J. A. CAWTHON,

Chief Clerk House of Representatives.

The following message from the House of Representatives was received and read:

Tallahassee, Fla., May 31, 1937.

Hon. D. Stuart Gillis,
President of the Senate.

Sir:

I am directed by the House of Representatives to inform the Senate that the House of Representatives has concurred in, reconsidered, and now refuses to concur in Senate amendments to:

House Bill No. 1352:

A bill to be entitled An Act creating the offices of Chief Traffic Officers and Deputy Traffic Officer in counties having a population of more than one hundred thousand by the last preceding State or Federal Census; requiring them to be Deputy Sheriffs, limiting their number and prescribing the duties and functions of such Chief Traffic Officer and Deputy Traffic Officers and their qualifications, terms of office and method of appointments, their compensation and allowance or expenses and designating the fund out of which same shall be paid.

Which amendments read as follows:

Amendment No. 1:

In Section 1, line 3 (typewritten bill), after the words "One Hundred" add the following: "Seventy."

Amendment No. 2:

In the title after the words "One Hundred" add the following: "seventy."

And respectfully requests the Senate to recede therefrom.

Very respectfully,

J. A. CAWTHON,

Chief Clerk House of Representatives.

And House Bill No. 1352, contained in the above message, was read by title, together with Senate amendment thereto.

Senator Butler moved that the Senate do recede from Senate Amendment No. 1 to House Bill No. 1352.

Which was agreed to and the Senate receded from Senate Amendment No. 1 to House Bill No. 1352 and the action of the Senate was ordered to be certified to the House of Representatives.

The following message from the House of Representatives was received and read:

Tallahassee, Fla., May 31, 1937.

Hon. D. Stuart Gillis,
President of the Senate.

Sir:

I am directed by the House of Representatives to inform the Senate that the House of Representatives has concurred in Senate amendment to:

House Bill No. 1519:

A bill to be entitled An Act to amend Section 15 of Chapter 7976 of the Laws of Florida, as amended by Chapter 12259 of the Laws of Florida, being "An Act to create and incor-

porate a special taxing district in Brevard and Saint Lucie Counties, Florida, to be known and designated as Sebastian Inlet District; prescribing the boundaries thereof; to provide for the government and administration of said district; to define the powers and purposes thereof; to authorize said board to construct and maintain an inlet in said district to connect the waters of the Atlantic Ocean with the waters of the Indian River; to construct all other works necessary or proper in connection with said inlet; to provide for the acquiring and condemnation of any property needed for district purposes; to empower the Board of Commissioners of said district to levy and collect taxes for district purposes; to authorize said board to borrow money and issue and sell bonds to procure money to carry out the provisions of this Act; to provide for the election of said commissioner and an election to determine whether bonds of the district shall be issued; to prevent injury to any works constructed under this Act, and prescribing penalties therefor; and generally to provide for the construction and maintenance of an inlet in said district to connect the waters of the Atlantic Ocean with the waters of the Indian River" so as to increase the special tax authorized by said Act, as amended, from three mills to ten mills per year, beginning with the year 1937.

Which amendment reads as follows:

Amendment No. 1:

In Section 15, seventh line from end of Section by deleting the words: "including as well, all telephone lines and telephone property." Also delete the comma before the words "including," and the comma after the word "property."

Very respectfully,

J. A. CAWTHON,

Chief Clerk House of Representatives.

The following message from the House of Representatives was received and read:

Tallahassee, Fla., May 31, 1937.

Hon. D. Stuart Gillis,
President of the Senate.

Sir:

I am directed by the House of Representatives to inform the Senate that the House of Representatives has concurred in Senate Amendments to:

House Bill No. 1757:

A bill to be entitled An Act to abolish the present municipality of the Town of Sunset Beach, Pinellas County, Florida, and to create and establish a municipal corporation to be known as the Town of Treasure Island, to prescribe the territory by limits thereof; to prescribe the form of government and to confer certain powers upon said municipality and its offices and to provide a charter for the carrying into effect of the provisions of this Act, and to provide for the ratification of this Act by the qualified electors of the affected area.

Which amendments read as follows:

Amendment No. 1:

In all Sections where they occur, (typewritten bill), strike out the words: Treasure Island and insert in lieu thereof the following: Sunshine Beach.

Amendment No. 2:

In the title, line 3, (typewritten bill), strike out the words: Treasure Island and insert in lieu thereof the following: Sunshine Beach.

Very respectfully,

J. A. CAWTHON,

Chief Clerk House of Representatives.

The following message from the House of Representatives was received and read:

Tallahassee, Fla., May 31, 1937.

Hon. D. Stuart Gillis,
President of the Senate.

Sir:

I am directed by the House of Representatives to inform the Senate that the House of Representatives has concurred in Senate Amendment to:

House Bill No. 1576:

A bill to be entitled An Act for the regulation, compensation and duties of the members of the Board of Public In-

struction and the Superintendent of Public Instruction of Okaloosa County, Florida.

Proof of publication attached.

Which amendment reads as follows:

Amendment No. 1:

In Section 2, line 3 (typewritten bill), strike out the word: "Eighteen" and insert in lieu thereof the following: "Twenty-four."

Very respectfully,

J. A. CAWTHON,

Chief Clerk House of Representatives.

The following message from the House of Representatives was received and read:

Tallahassee, Fla., May 31, 1937.

Hon. D. Stuart Gillis,
President of the Senate.

Sir:

I am directed by the House of Representatives to inform the Senate that the House of Representatives has concurred in Senate Amendment to:

House Bill No. 1550:

A bill to be entitled An Act relating to the salaries of the Judges of the Circuit Court residing in a county having a population of more than fifty thousand according to the latest State Census and in a circuit composed of two counties and providing for a portion of such salaries to be paid from the general revenue of such counties.

Which amendment reads as follows:

Amendment No. 1:

In Section 1 (typewritten bill), at the end of Section One add a new Section 1-A: Nothing in this Act shall operate to increase the salary or emoluments of any Circuit Judge who shall be appointed to office during the time for which he was elected Senator or member of the House of Representatives, and each such Circuit Judge shall receive during the term for which he shall be appointed, the salary and emoluments which, under the provisions of law, appertain to such office at the beginning of the time for which he was elected Senator or member of the House of Representatives as aforesaid.

Very respectfully,

J. A. CAWTHON,

Chief Clerk House of Representatives.

The following message from the House of Representatives was received and read:

Tallahassee, Fla., May 31, 1937.

Hon. D. Stuart Gillis,
President of the Senate.

Sir:

I am directed by the House of Representatives to inform the Senate that the House of Representatives has concurred in Senate Amendments to:

House Bill No. 1618:

A bill to be entitled An Act relating to the compensation of the Clerk of the Criminal Court of Record for services performed in all cases before any Criminal Court of Record in all counties of the State of Florida having a population of not less than fifty-one thousand and not more than fifty-six thousand, according to the State census of Florida for 1935.

Which amendments read as follows:

Amendment No. 1:

In Section 1, line 7 (typewritten bill), strike out the words and figures Eight Dollars (\$8.00) and insert in lieu thereof the following: Nine Dollars (\$9.00).

Amendment No. 2:

In Section 1, line 7 (typewritten bill), strike out the period and add the following: for each defendant informed against.

Very respectfully,

J. A. CAWTHON,

Chief Clerk House of Representatives.

The following message from the House of Representatives was received and read:

Tallahassee, Fla., May 31, 1937.

Hon. D. Stuart Gillis,
President of the Senate.

Sir:

I am directed by the House of Representatives to inform

the Senate that the House of Representatives has concurred in Senate Amendment to:

House Bill No. 1601:

A bill to be entitled An Act providing for, authorizing and relating to the removal of wild deer, by slaughter or otherwise, by the State Livestock Sanitary Board from certain areas in the County of Highlands, in the State of Florida, placed under quarantine by said board; providing for the adoption of rules and regulations in relation thereto by the board; prescribing the powers and duties of the State Commission of Game and Fresh Water Fish under this Act; and providing penalties for the violation of the provisions of this Act and of the rules and regulations of the State Livestock Sanitary Board adopted pursuant thereto.

Proof of publication attached.

Which amendment reads as follows:

Amendment No. 1:

In Section 10, line 3 (typewritten bill), strike out the word "Five" and insert the following: "Two."

Very respectfully,

J. A. CAWTHON,

Chief Clerk House of Representatives.

The following message from the House of Representatives was received and read:

Tallahassee, Fla., May 31, 1937.

Hon. D. Stuart Gillis,
President of the Senate.

Sir:

I am directed by the House of Representatives to inform the Senate that the House of Representatives has concurred in Senate Amendment to:

House Bill No. 1591:

A bill to be entitled An Act providing for, authorizing and relating to the removal of wild deer, by slaughter or otherwise, by the State Livestock Sanitary Board from certain areas in the County of Glades, in the State of Florida, placed under quarantine by said board; providing for the adoption of rules and regulations in relation thereto by the board; prescribing the powers and duties of the State Commission of Game and Fresh Water Fish under this Act; and providing penalties for the violation of the provisions of this Act and of the rules and regulations of the State Livestock Sanitary Board adopted pursuant thereto.

Proof of publication attached.

Which amendment reads as follows:

Amendment No. 1:

In Section 10, line 4 (typewritten bill), strike out the word "Five" and insert the following: "Two."

Very respectfully,

J. A. CAWTHON,

Chief Clerk House of Representatives.

The following message from the House of Representatives was received and read:

Tallahassee, Fla., May 31, 1937.

Hon. D. Stuart Gillis,
President of the Senate.

Sir:

I am directed by the House of Representatives to inform the Senate that the House of Representatives has concurred in Senate Amendment to:

House Bill No. 1396:

A bill to be entitled An Act providing for certain counties to supplement the State salaries of resident Circuit Judges from its general revenue and making same a county purpose.

Which amendment reads as follows:

Amendment No. 1:

At the end of the section add the following:

Nothing in this Act shall operate to increase the salary or emolument of any Circuit Judge who shall be appointed to office during the time for which he was elected Senator or member of the House of Representatives, and each such Circuit Judge shall receive, during the term for which he shall be appointed, the salary and emoluments which, under the provisions of the law, appertain to such office at the begin-

ning of the time for which he was elected Senator or member of the House of Representatives as aforesaid.

Very respectfully,

J. A. CAWTHON,

Chief Clerk House of Representatives.

The following message from the House of Representatives was received and read:

Tallahassee, Fla., May 31, 1937.

Hon. D. Stuart Gillis,

President of the Senate.

Sir:

I am directed by the House of Representatives to inform the Senate that the House of Representatives has concurred in Senate Amendment to:

House Bill No. 801:

A bill to be entitled An Act to amend Section 3305, Revised General Statutes being Section 5179, Compiled General Laws of Florida, 1927, relating to the salary of Judge of the County Court.

Which amendment reads as follows:

Amendment No. 1:

In Section 1-A, (Engrossed bill), strike out the words: "provided, however, that the provisions of this Act shall not apply to the salary of the Judge of the County Court of Pasco County, and insert in lieu thereof the following: "Provided, however, that the salary of the Judge of the County Court of Pasco County shall be Six Hundred Dollars per annum."

Very respectfully,

J. A. CAWTHON,

Chief Clerk House of Representatives.

The following message from the House of Representatives was received and read:

Tallahassee, Fla., May 31, 1937.

Hon. D. Stuart Gillis,

President of the Senate.

Sir:

I am directed by the House of Representatives to inform the Senate that the House of Representatives has concurred in Senate Amendment to:

House Bill No. 1334:

A bill to be entitled An Act changing the boundaries of Special Tax School Districts, numbers Ten and Two of St. Lucie County, Florida, and providing for a referendum election to determine whether this Act shall become operative and effective.

Which amendment reads as follows:

Amendment No. 1:

Strike out all of Section 2 and in lieu thereof insert the following:

Section 2. That the boundary line dividing Special Tax School District Number Two, from Special Tax School District Number Ten, be and the same is hereby established and described as follows: Beginning at the N. W. corner of Section 30 Township 35 South, Range 37 East, and extending easterly along the north line of Section 30, 29, 28, 27, 26 and 25 in Township 35 South, Range 37 East; 30, 29, 28, 27, 26, 25, in Township 35 South, Range 38 East; 30 in township 35 South, Range 39 East; thence south along the east boundary of Sections 30 and 31; thence east along the south boundary of Sections 32, 33 and 34; thence north along the east boundary of Section 34; thence east along the south boundary of Section 26; thence north along the east boundary of Section 26; thence east along the north boundary of Section 25 in township 35 South, Range 39 East; thence east along the north boundary of Sections 30, 29, 28, 27, 26, 25, Township 35 South, Range 40 East; 30 and 29, Township 35 South, Range 41 East.

Very respectfully,

J. A. CAWTHON,

Chief Clerk House of Representatives.

The following message from the House of Representatives was received and read:

Tallahassee, Fla., May 31, 1937.

Hon. D. Stuart Gillis,

President of the Senate.

Sir:

I am directed by the House of Representatives to inform the Senate that the Speaker of the House of Representatives has

appointed Messrs. Rogers Fuller, and Leedy as a Conference Committee of the House to confer with a like committee appointed by the President of the Senate to adjust the differences existing between the two bodies on House amendment to:

Senate Joint Resolution No. 21:

A Joint Resolution proposing the amendment of Section 7 of Article X of the Constitution, relating to the exemption of homesteads from taxation.

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF FLORIDA:

That the following amendment of Section 7 of Article X of the Constitution of the State of Florida relating to the exemption of homesteads from taxation, be, and the same is hereby agreed to, and shall be submitted to the electors of the State at the General Election of Representatives in 1938, for approval or rejection; that is to say, that the said Section 7 of Article X of the Constitution be amended so as to read as follows:

Every person who has the legal title or beneficial title in equity to real property in this State and who resides thereon and in good faith makes the same his or her permanent home, or the permanent home of another or others legally or naturally dependent upon said person, shall be entitled to an exemption from all taxation, except for assessments for special benefits, up to the assessed valuation of Five Thousand Dollars on the said home and contiguous real property for the year 1938 and thereafter. Said title may be held by the entireties, jointly, or in common with others, and said exemption may be apportioned among such of the owners as shall reside thereon, as their respective interests shall appear, but no such exemption of more than Five Thousand Dollars, shall be allowed to any one person or on any one dwelling house, nor shall the amount of the exemption allowed any person exceed the proportionate assessed valuation based on the interest owned by such person. The Legislature may prescribe appropriate and reasonable laws regulating the manner of establishing the right to said exemption. Provided, however, all of the provisions hereof shall be self-executing without any action by the Legislature.

Which House amendment reads as follows: strike out all of paragraph 2, and insert in lieu thereof the following: Every person who has the legal title or beneficial title in equity to real property in this State and who resides thereon and in good faith makes the same his or her permanent home, used primarily for home purposes, or the permanent home of another or others legally or naturally dependent upon said person shall be entitled to an exemption from all taxation, except for assessments for special benefits, up to the assessed valuation of Five Thousand Dollars on the said home, as defined by Article 10, Section 1, of the Constitution, for the year 1938 and thereafter. Said title may be held by the entireties, jointly, or in common with others, and said exemption may be apportioned among such of the owners as shall reside thereon, as their respective interests shall appear, but no such exemption of Five Thousand Dollars on the said home, as defined any one person or on any one dwelling house, nor shall the amount of the exemption allowed any person exceed the proportionate assessed valuation based on the interest owned by such person. The Legislature may prescribe appropriate and reasonable laws regulating the manner of establishing the right to said exemption.

Very respectfully,

J. A. CAWTHON,

Chief Clerk House of Representatives.

Senator Rose moved that the President appoint a Conference Committee on the part of the Senate to confer with the Committee appointed by the Speaker of the House of Representatives to adjust the differences between the two Houses on House Amendment to Senate Joint Resolution No. 21.

Which was agreed to and the President appointed Senators Rose, Dame and Beacham as the Conference Committee on the part of the Senate.

By permission the following bills were introduced:

By Senator Kelly—

Senate Bill No. 1142:

A bill to be entitled An Act providing for the cancellation of all outstanding tax sale certificates held and owned by the State of Florida, and all tax liens for subsequent unpaid taxes, and directing the Comptroller of the State of Florida

to cancel said certificates and taxes on certain lands in Pinellas County, Florida.

Which was read the first time by title only and placed on the Calendar of Local Bills on second reading.

By Senator Nordman—

Senate Bill No. 1143:

A bill to be entitled An Act creating and incorporating certain territory in Volusia County, Florida, into a Special Taxing District to be known and designated "East Volusia Navigation District"; providing for the government of said district; authorizing said district through the Board of Commissioners thereof to purchase rights of way for waterways, turning basins or other aids to navigation in said district, and to purchase or acquire by condemnation or eminent domain suitable and necessary rights of way, franchises or easements, in connection with the work of constructing said waterways, turning basins or other aids to navigation and their subsequent maintenance; to borrow and accept grants from any agency of or from the United States Government and/or any agency of or from the State of Florida; to enter into contracts, agreements or arrangement with any agency of or with the United States Government and/or any agency of with the State of Florida; to obtain funds for financing or to aid in financing the construction, reconstruction or rebuilding of any or all of the works authorized by this act, either by and through the instrumentality of the district or by and through the instrumentality of any agency, of or by and through the United States Government and/or any agency of or with the State of Florida, or in conjunction therewith, and to do all work or things necessary or proper in connection therewith; authorizing and empowering said Board of Commissioners of said district to convey the same or any part thereof to the Government of the United States of America or such other public body designated by the Government of the United States of America as provided herein; authorizing and empowering said Board of Commissioners of said district to borrow money on the note or notes of said district; authorizing and empowering said Board of Commissioners of said district to levy and collect taxes upon all taxable property of said district for the purposes authorized in this Act; providing for the appointment of the first Board of Commissioners of said district and providing for the election thereafter of said Board of Commissioners of said district; and to further provide for the creation, organization and government of said East Volusia Navigation District.

The following proof of publication was attached to Senate Bill No. 1143 when it was introduced in the Senate:

NOTICE OF INTENTION TO APPLY TO STATE LEGISLATURE OF 1937 FOR PASSAGE OF LOCAL LEGISLATION TO WHOM IT MAY CONCERN:

Notice is hereby given of intention to apply to the Legislature of the State of Florida at its regular Session A. D. 1937, for the passage of a special or local law, the substance of which contemplated law is to create and incorporate certain territory in Volusia County, Florida, described as follows, to-wit:

Beginning at the intersection of the North line of Section 32, Township 12 South, Range 32 East, and the low water mark on the shore of the Atlantic Ocean, thence west along the north line of Sections 32 and 31 to the intersection of the north line of Section 37, Township 12 South, Range 32 East, thence Southwesterly along the North line of Section 37, Township 12 South, Range 32 East, and Sections 38 and 32, Township 12 South, Range 31 East, thence to the West line of Section 32, Township 12 South, Range 31 East, thence Southerly along the West line of Section 32, Township 12 South, Range 31 East (the old King's Road) to the North line of Township 13 South, Range 31 East, thence West to the Northwest corner of Section 2, of said township, thence South along the West line of Section 2, 11, 14, 23, 26 and 35, Township 13 South, Range 31 East, and continuing South along the West line of Sections 2, 11, 14 and 23, Township 14 South, Range 31 East, a total distance of 10 miles, more or less, to the Southwest corner of said Section 23, of said Township, thence West along the North line of Sections 27, 28, 29 and 30, of said Township, to the West line of said Township 14 South, Range 31 East, a distance of 4 miles, more or less, thence South along the West line of said Township 2 miles, more or less, to the North line of Township 15 South, Range 31 East, thence West along the North line of Township 15 South, Range 31 East, to the Northwest corner of Section 6, of said Township, thence South along the West line of said Township 15

South, Range 31 East, 6 miles, more or less, to the Southwest corner of said Township 15 South, Range 31 East, thence East along the South line of Township 15 South, Range 31 East, 6 miles more or less, to the Northwest corner of Township 16 South, Range 32 East, thence South along the West line of Township 16 South and 17 South, Range 32 East, 12 miles, more or less, to the Southwest corner of Township 17 South, Range 32 East, thence West along the North line of Township 18 South, Range 32 East, and Township 18 South, Range 31 East, to the Northwest corner of Section 3, Township 18 South, Range 31 East, thence South along the West line of Sections 3, 10, 15, 22, 27 and 34, Township 18 South, Range 31 East; thence continuing South along the West line of Section 3, 10, 15, 22 and 27 in Township 19 South, Range 31 East, to the center of the St. Johns River; thence Easterly and Southerly along the center of the St. Johns River to the point of intersection with the South line of Township 19 South, Range 33 East, thence East along the South line of Township 19 South, Range 33 East, and continuing East along the South line of Township 19 South, Range 34 East, Township 19 South, Range 35 East, and Township 19 South, Range 36 East, to the low water mark on the shore of the Atlantic Ocean, thence Northwesterly along the meander of the low water mark of the Atlantic Ocean shore-line to the point of beginning.

into a special taxing district to be known and designated "East Volusia Navigation District," providing for the government and administration of said district and of the Board of Commissioners thereof, authorizing and empowering said Board of Commissioners to purchase rights of way for waterways, turning basins or other aids to navigation in said district and to purchase or acquire by condemnation or eminent domain suitable and necessary rights of way, franchises, easements, rights or suitable or necessary areas for the deposit of dredged material in connection with the construction of such various aids to navigation and their subsequent maintenance, and to borrow and accept grants from any agency, of or from the United States Government, and/or from any agency of or from the State of Florida, or to enter into contracts, agreements or arrangements with any agency of or with the United States Government, and/or with any agency of or with the State of Florida, to obtain funds for financing or to aid in financing the construction, reconstruction or rebuilding of any or all of the works authorized by this Act either by and through the district or by and through any agency of or by and through the United States Government, and/or by and through any agency of or by and through the State of Florida, or in conjunction therewith, and to do all work or things necessary or proper in connection therewith, authorizing said board of said district to convey such properties to the Government of the United States or its proper nominee, authorizing said Board of Commissioners to borrow money in an amount not to exceed the sum of \$25,000.00 at any one time, and to levy and collect taxes not to exceed two mills on the dollar of assessed valuation upon all taxable property of said district for the purposes authorized in such Act, providing for the appointment of the first Board of Commissioners of said district and providing for the election thereafter of such board, authorizing said board to exercise the power of eminent domain and to convey any aids to navigation required or constructed or purchased under said Act to the Government of the United States of America and further providing for the creation, organization and government of said East Volusia Navigation District.

Given at New Smyrna this 7th day of April, A. D. 1937.

(Signed) W. E. SWOOPE,

April 8.

STATE OF FLORIDA,)
) ss.
COUNTY OF VOLUSIA.)

ARTHUR L. HIMBERT being duly sworn, says that he is Editor of the New Smyrna Daily News, a newspaper published in the City of New Smyrna, County of Volusia, State of Florida; that said newspaper has been published in accordance with the provisions and requirements of An Act relating to publication of legal notices and processes in newspapers in the State of Florida, Laws of Florida, Acts of 1931; and that the attached notice was published in said newspaper once each week for one consecutive week, the date of publication being April 8, 1937.

(Seal)

(Signed) ARTHUR L. HIMBERT

Subscribed and sworn to before me this April 8, 1937.

Signed: BELLE T. ROOD,

Notary Public, State of Florida at Large.

My Commission expires Oct. 17, 1937.

Which was read the first time by title only and placed on the Calendar of Local Bills on second reading.

By Senators McArthur and Butler—

Senate Bill No. 1144:

A bill to be entitled An Act providing that the interest or penalty on delinquent installments of drainage taxes of Baldwin Drainage District, a public corporation, shall be one-half of one percent per month.

The following proof of publication was attached to Senate Bill No. 1144 when it was introduced in the Senate:

NOTICE OF INTENTION TO APPLY FOR LOCAL LEGISLATION

Notice is hereby given that there will be introduced at the present Session of the Legislature of the State of Florida, at Tallahassee, a special or local bill providing that the interest or penalty on delinquent drainage taxes of Baldwin Drainage District, a public corporation organized and existing under the Laws of the State of Florida, composed of lands situate in Duval and Nassau Counties, Florida, shall be one-half of one per cent per month instead of two per cent per month.

A. W. INGLIS

(Adv. 6372)

STATE OF FLORIDA)

) ss.

COUNTY OF DUVAL.)

Personally appeared before me, a Notary Public for the State of Florida at Large, F. P. BEDDOW, who deposes and says that he is Advertising Manager of The Jacksonville Journal, a daily newspaper printed in the English language and of general circulation, published in the City of Jacksonville, in said County and State; and that the attached order, notice, publication and/or advertisements of . . . Notice of Intention To Apply For Local Legislation was published in said newspaper one for a period of one beginning April 28, 1937, and ending April 28, 1937, said publication being made on the following dates: April 28, 1937.

And deponent further says that The Jacksonville Journal has been continuously published as a daily newspaper, and has been entered as second class mail matter at the postoffice at the City of Jacksonville, Duval County, Florida, each for a period of more than one year next preceding the date of the first publication of the above described order, notice, publication and/or advertisement.

(Signed) F. P. BEDDOW.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 28th day of April, A. D., 1937.

(Signed) F. W. GRIM,

Notary Public, State of Florida at Large.

My Commission Expires July 24, 1939.

NOTICE OF INTENTION TO APPLY FOR LOCAL LEGISLATION

Notice is hereby given that there will be introduced at the present Session of the Legislature of the State of Florida, at Tallahassee, a special or local bill providing that the interest or penalty on delinquent drainage taxes of Baldwin Drainage District, a public corporation, organized and existing under the laws of the State of Florida, composed of lands situate in Duval and Nassau Counties, Florida, shall be one-half of one per cent per month instead of two per cent per month.

A. W. INGLIS.

PROOF OF PUBLICATION

STATE OF FLORIDA,)
) ss:
COUNTY OF NASSAU.)

Before the undersigned, personally appeared Vesta Prewitt who, being by me first duly sworn, deposes and says that she is the editor and publisher of the Nassau County Leader, a weekly newspaper published in the City of Fernandina, County of Nassau, State of Florida, a newspaper of general circulation in said County of Nassau, State of Florida; and that the notice or publication described herein, and the said newspaper has been published pursuant to and in compliance with the provisions of Section One (1) of Senate Bill No. (58) approved May 20th, 1931; General Laws of Florida, 1931, same being an Act relating to publication of Legal Notices and process in newspapers in the State of Florida Local Bill, etc., of which the annexed is a true and correct copy, was published in the regular weekly edition of said Nassau County Leader once

each week for one week beginning on the 30th day of April, A. D. 1937, and that the other dates of publication were: None.

(S) VESTA PREWITT.

Sworn to and subscribed to before me this 6th day of May, A. D. 1937.

(S) W. S. WHITNEY,

Notary Public, State of Florida at Large.

My Commission expires March 30, 1939.

Which was read the first time by title only and placed on the Calendar of Local Bills on second reading.

By Senators Butler and McArthur—

Senate Bill No. 1145:

A bill to be entitled An Act authorizing the Board of Supervisors of Baldwin Drainage District, a public corporation, to compromise and settle delinquent drainage taxes of such district for the principal amount of such taxes and interest or penalty thereon at one-half of one per cent per month; and providing that such authority shall be in addition to any other authority to make compromises and settlements.

The following proof of publication was attached to Senate Bill No. 1145 when it was introduced in the Senate:

NOTICE OF INTENTION TO APPLY FOR LOCAL LEGISLATION

Notice is hereby given that there will be introduced at the present Session of the Legislature of the State of Florida, at Tallahassee, a special or local bill to authorize the Board of Supervisors of Baldwin Drainage District, a public corporation, organized and existing under the laws of the State of Florida, composed of lands situate in Duval and Nassau Counties, Florida, to compromise and settle delinquent drainage taxes of said Baldwin Drainage District, for the principal amount of such taxes and interest or penalty thereon at the rate of one-half of one per cent per month.

A. W. INGLIS.

(Adv. 6371)

STATE OF FLORIDA)

) ss.

COUNTY OF DUVAL)

Personally appeared before me, a Notary Public for the State of Florida at Large, F. P. BEDDOW, who deposes and says that he is Advertising Manager of The Jacksonville Journal, a daily newspaper printed in the English language and of general circulation, published in the City of Jacksonville, in said County and State; and that the attached order, notice, publication and/or advertisement of Notice of Intention to Apply For Local Legislation, was published in said newspaper one for a period of one, beginning April 28, 1937, and ending April 28, 1937, said publication being made on the following date: April 28, 1937.

And deponent further says that The Jacksonville Journal has been continuously published as a daily newspaper, and has been entered as second class mail matter at the post office at the City of Jacksonville, Duval County, Florida, each for a period of more than one year next preceding the date of the first publication of the above described order, notice, publication and/or advertisement.

F. P. BEDDOW.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 28th day of April A. D., 1937.

(Seal)

F. W. GRIM,

Notary Public, State of Florida at Large.

My Commission Expires July 24, 1939.

No. 6371.

NOTICE OF INTENTION TO APPLY FOR LOCAL LEGISLATION

Notice is hereby given that there will be introduced at the present Session of the Legislature of the State of Florida, at Tallahassee, a special or local bill to authorize the Board of Supervisors of Baldwin Drainage District, a public corporation, organized and existing under the laws of the State of Florida, composed of lands situate in Duval and Nassau Counties, Florida, to compromise and settle delinquent drainage taxes of said Baldwin Drainage District for the principal amount of such taxes and interest or penalty thereon at the rate of one-half of one percent per month.

A. W. INGLIS.

STATE OF FLORIDA)

) ss.

COUNTY OF NASSAU)

PROOF OF PUBLICATION

Before the undersigned, personally appeared Vesta Prewitt,

who, being by me first duly sworn, deposes and says that she is the editor and publisher of the NASSAU COUNTY LEADER, a weekly newspaper published in the City of Fernandina, County of Nassau, State of Florida, a newspaper of general circulation in said County of Nassau, State of Florida; and that the notice or publication described herein, and the said newspaper has been published pursuant to and in compliance with the provisions of Section one (1) of Senate Bill No. (58) approved May 20th, 1931: General Laws of Florida, 1931, same being an Act relating to publication of Legal Notices and processes in newspapers in the State of Florida, Local Bill etc., of which the annexed is a true and correct copy, was published in the regular weekly edition of said NASSAU COUNTY LEADER once each week for one week beginning on the 30th day of April, A. D., 1937, and that the other dates of publication were: none.

VESTA PREWITT.

Sworn to and subscribed to before me this 6th day of May, A. D. 1937.

(Seal)

W. S. WHITNEY,

Notary Public, State of Florida at Large.

My Commission Expires March 30, 1939.

Which was read the first time by title only and placed on the Calendar of Local Bills on second reading.

By Senator Touchton—

Senate Bill No. 1146:

A bill to be entitled An Act creating a municipal court in and for the City of Zephyrhills, Florida; providing for the appointment of a municipal judge to preside over said court and setting forth his jurisdiction, powers and functions; abolishing the Mayor's court and the judicial powers of the mayor of said City as Judge of said Mayor's court and providing that in every case where the Mayor's court or the Mayor as Judge of said Mayor's court are mentioned in Chapter 11327, Laws of Florida, Special Acts of 1925, that the same shall be construed so as to mean the municipal court or municipal Judge, respectively.

Which was read the first time by title only and placed on the Calendar of Local Bills on second reading.

By Senator McArthur—

Senate Bill No. 1147:

A bill to be entitled An Act authorizing the Town Council of the Town of Callahan, Florida, to provide for an election affecting the charter of the Town of Callahan, Florida.

Which was read the first time by title only and placed on the Calendar of Local Bills on second reading.

By Senator McArthur—

Senate Bill No. 1148:

A bill to be entitled An Act to amend Section 1 of Senate Bill 517, enacted by the Florida Legislature at its regular session of 1921, entitled, "An Act relating to the salaries of the Judges of the Circuit Court of Counties having a population of more than One Hundred Thousand according to the latest Federal census, and providing for a portion of such salaries to be paid from the General Revenue of such Counties," and relating to the salaries of the Judges of the Circuit Court of such Counties.

Which was read the first time by title only and referred to the Committee on Appropriations.

By Senator Parker—

Senate Bill No. 1149:

A bill to be entitled An Act to amend Section 1 of Chapter 17178, Laws of Florida, 1935, being "An Act to impose a license tax on persons, firms and corporations engaged in the business of constructing certain public works and providing for the disposition of funds derived from such license."

Which was read the first time by title only and referred to the Committee on Finance and Taxation.

By Senator Gillis—

Senate Bill No. 1150:

A bill to be entitled An Act relating to the distribution and expenditure of monies derived from gasoline taxes placed to the credit of the several counties of the State of Florida having a population of not less than 13,800 and not more than 14,400, according to the last preceding State or Federal Census and conferring such powers and duties upon the State Board of Administration with reference thereto.

Which was read the first time by title only and placed on the Calendar of Local Bills on second reading.

By Senator Tillman—
Senate Bill No. 1151:

A bill to be entitled An Act authorizing and empowering the Board of County Commissioners of each county of the State of Florida having a population of not less than 100,000 and not more than 170,000 inhabitants, according to the last preceding State Census, to require that all State and County taxes be paid before approving the filing for record of subdivision maps or plats.

Which was read the first time by title only and placed on the Calendar of Local Bills on second reading.

By Senator Tillman—
Senate Bill No. 1152:

A bill to be entitled An Act authorizing and empowering the Board of County Commissioners of any County of the State of Florida, having a population of not less than 100,000 nor more than 170,000 inhabitants according to the last State census, to offer and pay rewards for information leading to the apprehension and conviction of persons charged with the commission of a felony or felonies in such county.

Which was read the first time by title only and placed on the Calendar of Local Bills on second reading.

By Senator Tillman—
Senate Bill No. 1153:

A bill to be entitled An Act to prohibit the erection, construction, maintenance or operation of any place or places of business, including filling stations, public garages or mercantile establishments in and around a portion of Bayshore Drive in Hillsborough County, Florida, said territory being more particularly described as follows: All that territory or area within three hundred feet of the center line of Bayshore Drive, Hillsborough County, Florida, extending from the intersection of said Bayshore Drive, and Howard Avenue, to the intersection of said Bayshore Drive and Gandy Boulevard, all in Hillsborough County, Florida, and providing for the enforcement of this Act in the name of the owner of any lands or parcels in said area or territory by injunction or other appropriate remedy, and making the violation of this Act a misdemeanor, and providing a penalty therefor.

The following proof of publication was attached to Senate Bill No. 1153 when it was introduced in the Senate:

PUBLIC NOTICE

NOTICE is hereby given that at the 1937 Session of the Florida Legislature now in Session at Tallahassee, Florida, special or local legislation will be introduced, and passage asked, of an Act prohibiting the erection and construction of any building to be used for business purposes, and prohibiting the maintenance and operation of any places of business in the territory and area described as follows: All that territory or area within three hundred feet of the center line of Bayshore Drive, Hillsborough County, Florida, extending from the intersection of said Bayshore Drive, and Howard Avenue, to the intersection of Bayshore Drive and Gandy Boulevard.

And providing that the provisions and prohibitions contained in said Act may be enforced in the name of the owner of any lands or parcels in said area and territory aforesaid by injunction or any appropriate remedy, and making the violation of said Act a misdemeanor, and providing a penalty therefor.

FRED W. BALL,
County Commissioner.
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PUBLISHER'S AFFIDAVIT

STATE OF FLORIDA,)
) ss.
COUNTY OF HILLSBOROUGH)

Before me, the undersigned authority, this day personally appeared J. S. Mims, who by me being first duly sworn according to law, deposes and says that he is General Manager of The Tampa Morning Tribune, a daily newspaper of general circulation and published at Tampa, in said County of Hillsborough, State of Florida, and that a full, true and correct copy of which said publication is hereto attached, was published in said newspaper in its issues of May 1, 1937.

Affiant further says that the above named newspaper has been continuously published once each week, and in fact every day of each week, in said County of Hillsborough, State of Florida, for more than one year immediately preceding the first publication of said notice, and was during all of such time, and now is, entered as second-class mail matter in the United States Post Office at Tampa, Hillsborough County, Florida, thereby conforming to the requirements of Senate Bill No. 58, the same being an Act of the 1931 Legislature of the State of Florida in reference to publications of such notices and court processes, approved May 20, 1931.

J. S. MIMS,

Sworn to and subscribed before me, this 1st day of May, A. D. 1937.

(Seal)

HAROLD L. MIMS,

Notary Public, in and for State of Florida at Large.

My commission expires January 9, 1940.

Which was read the first time by title only and placed on the Calendar of Local Bills on second reading.

By Senator Tillman—
Senate Bill No. 1154:

A bill to be entitled An Act relating to and concerning taxation and providing for the foreclosure in equity of tax sale certificates and deeds and procedure in such cases in which said tax sale certificates and deeds have been issued to the Treasurer of the State of Florida and providing for procedure in such cases in Counties having a population of not less than 100,000 and not more than 170,000, inhabitants according to the last preceding State Census.

Which was read the first time by title only and placed on the Calendar of Local Bills on second reading.

By Senator Tillman—
Senate Bill No. 1155:

A bill to be entitled An Act authorizing and empowering the Board of County Commissioners of each and every County in the State of Florida having a population of not less than 100,000 nor more than 170,000 inhabitants according to the last preceding State Census, to condemn buildings and residences and other structures which are obsolete and which have become dangerous to the public, or as a fire hazard, to declare the same a nuisance, and to sell, tear down or destroy them; and providing for notice to the owner of said property of an investigation which shall be made by the Board of County Commissioners with reference thereto and the manner and form of said investigation, the method of carrying out the results and findings of said Board with regard thereto, and providing penalties and a method of appeal incident thereto.

Which was read the first time by title only and placed on the Calendar of Local Bills on second reading.

By Senator Graham—
Senate Bill No. 1156:

A bill to be entitled An Act to extend and enlarge the corporate limits of the City of Miami, in the County of Dade, Florida; to prescribe the liability of property within the annexed territory for municipal taxation; to give the said City of Miami jurisdiction over the territory embraced in said extension, and repealing all laws or parts of laws in conflict.

Which was read the first time by title only and placed on the Calendar of Local Bills on second reading.

By Senator Tillman—
Senate Bill No. 1157:

A bill to be entitled An Act to provide for the incorporation of all of those lands in Hillsborough County, Florida, in section 27 and section 34, township 29 South, range 18 East, embraced within the boundaries of Palma Ceia Park Subdivision, except block 82, Palma Ceia Subdivision, Bay View Homes Subdivision, Bay View Estates Subdivision, and St. Andrews Park Subdivision, according to the maps or plats of said several subdivisions as the same are recorded in plat books 4, page 58, plat book 7, page 62, plat book 6, page 48, plat book 10, page 8, plat book 27, page 48, and plat book 11, page 58, public records of Hillsborough County, Florida, and also that part of the right of way of the Atlantic Coast Line Railroad lying between said Palma Ceia Subdivision and Palma Ceia Park Subdivision as a special sanitary, water and fire protection district; to provide for and limit the powers, duties and liabilities of said district in and about obtaining adequate water supply, the col-

lection, removal and disposal of sewage and garbage, and the protection of property in said district from fire; to provide for the acquiring, installation, operation, maintenance, supervision, and regulation of sanitary sewers and sewer systems, septic tanks, and fire hydrants, pipes, water mains, and water systems now in or hereafter installed in said district; to provide for the administration of the business and affairs and the exercise of the powers of said district by a board of commissioners to be named and appointed by the governor; to provide for raising all necessary funds for financing said district and all its purposes by issuing and validating bonds or otherwise; to levy and to provide for the levy, collection and enforcement of special assessments against and the creation of liens upon lands in said district and the foreclosure of said liens and assessments, and to determine the benefits of such assessments and the priority and dignity of such liens in order to raise revenues for the purposes of said district; authorizing the board of commissioners to act as an equalization and adjustment board, providing the method and procedure for cancellation, reduction or suspension of assessments and liens, and limiting the time of application therefor and rights of action arising therefrom; to require all dwellings and other buildings in said district to be connected with such sewers and sewer systems, and providing for penalties and criminal liability for failure or refusal to so connect and for violation of the provisions of said act; providing for the health, comfort and welfare of the residents of said district and regulating the keeping and maintenance of certain animals therein; providing for limitation of liabilities of said district, property, and property owners, and the commissioners, and for regulation of claims, demands, and suits against said district and commissioners; and to authorize and empower said district to make and enter into contracts with the United States of America, any Federal agency, corporation or authority, Hillsborough County, Florida, other sanitary districts, school districts, the City of Tampa, a municipal corporation, and any other corporations, districts, firms, or individuals, relating to financing and to any and all of the purposes and powers of said district; and providing for the proceedings by which said special sanitary district shall become so incorporated as a public municipal corporation to be known as Palma Ceia Sanitary District.

The following proof of publication was attached to Senate Bill No. 1157 when it was introduced in the Senate:

NOTICE OF APPLICATION FOR SPECIAL OR LOCAL LAW

NOTICE is hereby given that application will be made to the Legislature of the State of Florida at its next regular Session to pass, adopt, and enact a special or local law affecting certain lands, premises, and territory in Hillsborough County, Florida, to-wit:

1. All of Palma Ceia Park Subdivision, except Block 82 thereof;
 2. All of a re-subdivision of a re-subdivision of Blocks 66, 67, 72, and 73 of Palma Ceia Park Subdivision;
 3. All of Palma Ceia Subdivision;
 4. All of St. Andrew's Park Revised;
 5. All of Bay View Homes;
 6. All of Bay View Estates;
- according to maps or plats of said subdivisions recorded in the public records of Hillsborough County, Florida, in plat book 4, page 58; plat book 7, page 62; plat book 6, page 48; plat book 11, page 58; plat book 10, page 8; and plat book 27, page 48, respectively;

Also, that part or portion of the Atlantic Coast Line Railway right-of-way lying between Palma Ceia Subdivision and Palma Ceia Park Subdivision.

Said special or local bill is to provide for the incorporation of all of said lands and territory into and as a special water, sanitary and fire protection district, and for the proceedings by which such district shall be incorporated as a public municipal corporation to be known as Palma Ceia Sanitary District; to provide for and limit the powers, duties, and liabilities of said district in and about obtaining adequate water supply, the collection and disposition of sewage and garbage, and the protection of property from fire in said district; to provide for the installation, operation, maintenance, supervision, and regulation of sanitary sewers and sewer systems and fire hydrants, pipes, water mains, and all such systems now in or hereafter installed in said district; to provide for the administration of the business and affairs and the exercise of the powers of said district by a board of commissioners to be named and appointed by the Governor; to provide for

raising all necessary funds for financing said district and all its purposes; to provide for the levy, collection, and enforcement of special assessments against and the creation of liens upon lands in said district and to determine the benefits of such assessments and the priority and dignity of such liens in order to raise revenues for the purposes of said district; to require all dwellings and other buildings in said district to be connected with such sewer system and providing for penalties and criminal liability for failing or refusing to so connect; providing for limitation of liabilities of said district and commissioners and for regulation of claims, demands, and suits against said district and commissioners; and to authorize and empower said district to make and enter into contracts with other sanitary districts, school districts, the City of Tampa, a municipal corporation, or other corporations, districts, firms, or individuals relating to any or all of the purposes of said district.

HARRY B. TERRELL,
CURTIS L. SPARKMAN,
JOHN C. DEKLE,
HAROLD C. MCKAY,
JAMES C. HANDLY,
Committee.
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STATE OF FLORIDA,)
) ss:
COUNTY OF HILLSBOROUGH.)

Before me, the undersigned authority, this day personally appeared J. S. Nims, who by me being first duly sworn according to law, deposes and says that he is General Manager of The Tampa Morning Tribune, a daily newspaper of general circulation and published at Tampa, in said County of Hillsborough, State of Florida, and that a full, true and correct copy of which said publication is hereto attached, was published in said newspaper in its issues of March 25, 1937.

Affiant further says that the above named newspaper has been continuously published once each week, and in fact every day of each week, in said County of Hillsborough, State of Florida, for more than one year immediately preceding the first publication of said Notice, and was during all of such time, and now is, entered as second-class mail matter in the United States Post Office at Tampa, Hillsborough County, Florida, thereby conforming to the requirements of Senate Bill No. 58, the same being an Act of the 1931 Legislature of the State of Florida in reference to publications of such notices and court processes, approved May 20, 1931.

J. S. MIMS.

Sworn to and subscribed before me, this 25th day of March, A. D. 1937.

(Seal) HAROLD L. MIMS,
Notary Public, in and for State of Florida at Large.
My Commission expires January 9, 1940.

By Senator Beacham—

Senate Bill No. 1158:

A bill to be entitled An Act to provide for the relief of the City of Lake Worth, Florida; providing for the payment, by the State Road Department to said City, of the sum of \$24,962.40 to reimburse said City for its contribution in the construction of a certain portion of State Road No. 4, lying within the corporate limits of said City.

Which was read the first time by title only and referred to the Committee on Public Roads and Highways.

By Senator Tillman—

Senate Bill No. 1159:

A bill to be entitled An Act to provide for the mandatory use of voting machines for all elections in all Counties of the State of Florida having a population of more than 90,000 and less than 170,000 according to the last preceding State or Federal Census, and to provide for the mandatory use of said voting machines in all municipalities in said Counties, and providing for the County Commissioners or governing authorities of municipalities to lease or rent said voting machines for election purposes.

Which was read the first time by title only and placed on the Calendar of Local Bills on second reading.

By Senator Tervin—

Senate Bill No. 1160:

A bill to be entitled An Act providing for the creation for each county of not less than 23,050 and not more than 26,000 population according to the last state or federal census a delin-

quent tax adjustment board prescribing the powers and duties of such board providing for the creation of the delinquent tax adjustment board of appeals, prescribing the power and duties of such board providing for the creation of the delinquent tax of tax sales certificates held by the State upon certain condition.

Which was read the first time by title only and placed on the Calendar of Local Bills on second reading.

By Senator Hinely—

Senate Bill No. 1161:

A bill to be entitled An Act requiring clerks of the Circuit Court, to cancel and surrender State and County Tax Sales Certificates, and omitted taxes thereon in all counties in the State of Florida having a population of not less than sixteen thousand, nine hundred (16,900) and not more than seventeen thousand (17,000) according to the last state census.

Which was read the first time by title only and placed on the Calendar of Local Bills on second reading.

By Senator Graham—

Senate Bill No. 1162:

A bill to be entitled An Act authorizing the Governor to appoint a Commission on Economy and Efficiency, and for other purposes.

Which was read the first time by title only and referred to the Committee on Finance and Taxation.

By Senators Kendrick and McKenzie—

Senate Bill No. 1163:

A bill to be entitled An Act to authorize and empower the Board of Supervisors of the Hastings Drainage District, located in the Counties of St. Johns, Putnam and Flagler, in the State of Florida, in their discretion to compromise, adjust, settle and/or remit the whole or any part of any delinquent taxes, assessments or liens, and/or the whole or any part of any unpaid penalties, interest and costs thereon which are owing to or held by such drainage district, and to authorize, direct and empower the Tax Collectors of the Counties of St. Johns, Putnam and Flagler in the State of Florida, and/or the Clerks of the Circuit Courts in and for the Counties of St. Johns, Putnam and Flagler, respectively, to receive, when tendered in the manner agreed upon, the amount of cash, bonds or other obligation of said district which said Board of Supervisors have agreed to accept in settlement and compromise of said taxes, assessments, liens and/or penalties, interest and costs, to issue receipt therefor and to thereupon cancel of record the certificate and lien thereof.

The following proof of publication was attached to Senate Bill No. 1162 when it was introduced in the Senate:

NOTICE OF PROPOSED LEGISLATION

Notice is hereby given that there will be introduced at this A. D. 1937 term of the State Legislature of the State of Florida, at Tallahassee, Florida, the following contemplated law, the substance of which is as follows:

A bill to be entitled An Act to authorize and empower the Board of Supervisors of the Hastings Drainage District, located in the Counties of St. Johns, Putnam and Flagler, in the State of Florida, in their discretion to compromise, adjust, settle and/or remit the whole or any part of any delinquent taxes, assessments or liens, and/or the whole or any part of any unpaid penalties, interest and costs thereon which are owing to or held by such Drainage District, and to authorize, direct and empower the tax collectors of the Counties of St. Johns, Putnam and Flagler in the State of Florida, and/or the Clerks of the Circuit Courts in and for the Counties of St. Johns, Putnam and Flagler, respectively, to receive, when tendered in the manner agreed upon, the amount of cash, bonds or other obligation of said District which said Board of Supervisors have agreed to accept in settlement and compromise of said taxes, assessments, liens and/or penalties, interest and costs, to issue receipt therefor and to thereupon cancel of record the certificate and lien thereof.

BOARD OF SUPERVISORS OF HASTINGS
DRAINAGE DISTRICT.

By GEO. V. LEONARD,
President of District.

Attest:

(Seal) W. R. BYRD,
Secretary of District.

AFFIDAVIT

STATE OF FLORIDA,
COUNTY OF PUTNAM.

Before the undersigned authority personally appeared Julian C. Calhoun who, on oath does solemnly swear (or affirm) that he has knowledge of the matters stated herein; that a notice stating the substance of a contemplated law or proposed bill relating to authorizing and empowering the Board of Supervisors of the Hastings Drainage District, located in the Counties of St. Johns, Putnam and Flagler, in the State of Florida, in their discretion to compromise, adjust, settle and/or remit the whole or any part of any delinquent taxes, assessments or liens, and/or the whole or any part of any unpaid penalties, interest and costs thereon which are owing to or held by such Drainage District, and to authorize, direct and empower the tax collectors of the Counties of St. Johns, Putnam and Flagler in the State of Florida, and/or the Clerks of the Circuit Courts in and for the Counties of St. Johns, Putnam and Flagler, respectively, to receive, when tendered in the manner agreed upon, the amount of cash, bonds or other obligation of said District which said Board of Supervisors have agreed to accept in settlement and compromise of said taxes, assessments, liens and/or penalties, interest and costs, to issue receipt therefor and to thereupon cancel of record the certificate and lien thereof, has been published at least thirty (30) days prior to this date, by being printed in the issue of the 30th day of April, A. D. 1937, of The Times Herald, a newspaper published in Putnam County, Florida, where the matter or thing to be affected by the contemplated law is situated; that a copy of the notice that has been published as aforesaid, and also this Affidavit of proof of publication are attached to the proposed bill or contemplated law, and such copy of the notice so attached is by reference made a part of this Affidavit.

JULIAN C. CALHOUN.

Sworn to and subscribed before me this 31st day of May, A. D. 1937.

(Seal)

EVELYN DAVIS,

Notary Public, State of Florida at Large.

My Commission expires March 7, 1939.

NOTICE OF PROPOSED LEGISLATION

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A bill to be entitled An Act to authorize and empower the Board of Supervisors of the Hastings Drainage District, located in the Counties of St. Johns, Putnam and Flagler, in the State of Florida, in their discretion to compromise, adjust, settle and/or remit the whole or any part of any delinquent taxes, assessments or liens, and/or the whole or any part of any unpaid penalties, interest and costs thereon which are owing to or held by such Drainage District, and to authorize, direct and empower the tax collectors of the Counties of St. Johns, Putnam and Flagler in the State of Florida, and/or the Clerks of the Circuit Courts in and for the Counties of St. Johns, Putnam and Flagler, respectively, to receive, when tendered in the manner agreed upon, the amount of cash, bonds or other obligation of said District which said Board of Supervisors have agreed to accept in settlement and compromise of said taxes, assessments, liens and/or penalties, interest and costs, to issue receipt therefor and to thereupon cancel of record the certificate and lien thereof.

BOARD OF SUPERVISORS OF HASTINGS
DRAINAGE DISTRICT.

By GEO. V. LEONARD,
President of District.

Attest:

(Seal) W. R. BYRD,

Secretary of District.

AFFIDAVIT

STATE OF FLORIDA
COUNTY OF ST. JOHNS

Before the undersigned authority personally appeared T. Rogero Mickler who on oath does solemnly swear (or affirm) that he has knowledge of the matters stated herein; that a notice stating the substance of a contemplated law or proposed bill relating to authorizing and empowering the Board of Supervisors of the Hastings Drainage District, located in the Counties of St. Johns, Putnam and Flagler, in the State of Florida, in their discretion to compromise, adjust, settle and/or remit the whole or any part of any delinquent taxes, assessments or

liens, and/or the whole or any part of any unpaid penalties, interest and costs thereon which are owing to or held by such Drainage District, and to authorize, direct and empower the tax collectors of the Counties of St. Johns, Putnam and Flagler in the State of Florida, and/or the Clerks of the Circuit Courts in and for the Counties of St. Johns, Putnam and Flagler, respectively, to receive, when tendered in the manner agreed upon, the amount of cash, bonds or other obligation of said District which said Board of Supervisors have agreed to accept in settlement and compromise of said taxes, assessments, liens and/or penalties, interest and costs, to issue Receipt therefor and to thereupon cancel of record the Certificate and lien thereof, has been published at least thirty (30) days prior to this date, by being printed in the issue of the 29th day of April, A. D. 1937, of The St. Augustine Record, a newspaper published in St. Johns County, Florida; where the matter or thing to be affected by the contemplated law is situated; that a copy of the notice that has been published as aforesaid, and also this Affidavit of proof of publication are attached to the proposed bill or contemplated law, and such copy of the notice so attached is by reference made a part of this Affidavit.

T. ROGERO MICKLER.

Sworn to and Subscribed before me this 31st day of May, A. D. 1937.

(Seal)

EVELYN DAVIS,
Notary Public, State of Florida at Large.
My Commission Expires Mar. 7, 1939.

NOTICE OF PROPOSED LEGISLATION

Notice is hereby given that there will be introduced at this A. D. 1937 term of the State Legislature of the State of Florida, at Tallahassee, Florida, the following contemplated law, the substance of which is as follows:

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BOARD OF SUPERVISORS OF HASTINGS DRAINAGE DISTRICT.

By GEO. V. LEONARD,
President of District.

Attest:

(Seal) W. R. BYRD,
Secretary of District.

AFFIDAVIT

STATE OF FLORIDA)
COUNTY OF FLAGLER)

Before the undersigned authority personally appeared Julian C. Calhoun who on oath does solemnly swear (or affirm) that he has knowledge of the matters stated herein; that a notice stating the substance of a contemplated law or proposed bill relating to authorizing and empowering the Board of Supervisors of the Hastings Drainage District, located in the Counties of St. Johns, Putnam and Flagler, in the State of Florida, in their discretion to compromise, adjust, settle and/or remit the whole or any part of any delinquent taxes, assessments or liens, and/or the whole or any part of any unpaid penalties, interest costs thereon which are owing to or held by such Drainage District, and to authorize, direct and empower the Tax Collectors of the Counties of St. Johns, Putnam and Flagler in the State of Florida, and/or the Clerks of the Circuit Courts in and for the Counties of St. Johns, Putnam and Flagler, respectively, to receive, when tendered in the manner agreed upon, the amount of cash, bonds or other obligation of said District which said Board of Supervisors have agreed to accept in settlement and compromise of said taxes, assessments, liens and/or penalties, interest and costs, to issue receipt therefor and to thereupon cancel of record the Certifi-

cate and lien thereof, has been published at least thirty (30) days prior to this date, by being printed in the issue of the 29th day of April, A. D. 1937, of the The Flagler Tribune, a newspaper published in Flagler County, Florida, where the matter or thing to be affected by the contemplated law is situated; that a copy of the notice that has been published as aforesaid, and also this Affidavit of proof of publication are attached to the proposed bill or contemplated law, and such copy of the notice so attached is by reference made a part of this Affidavit.

(Seal)

JULIAN C. CALHOUN.

Sworn to and subscribed before me this 31st day of May, A. D., 1937.

EVELYN DAVIS,

Notary Public, State of Florida at Large.
My Commission Expires March 7, 1939.

Which was read the first time by title only and placed on the Calendar of Local Bills on second reading.

Senator Kanner moved that the Senate do now proceed to the consideration of Executive Communications.

Which was agreed to and the Senate went into Executive Session at 5:19 o'clock P. M.

The Senate emerged from Executive Session at 5:53 o'clock P. M. and resumed its Session.

The roll was called and the following Senators answered to their names:

Mr. President; Senators Adams, Beacham, Beall, Black, Butler, Clarke, Dame, Dugger, Gomez, Graham, Hinely, Hodges, Holland, Johns, Kanner, Kelly, Kendrick, McArthur, McKenzie, Mapoles, Murphy, Nordman, Parker, Parrish, Rose, Savage, Sharit, Smith, Sweger, Tervin, Tillman, Touchton, Walker, Westbrook, Wynn—36.

A quorum present.

REPORTS OF COMMITTEES

Senator Dugger, Chairman of the Committee on Prison and Convicts, submitted the following report:

Senate Chamber,
Tallahassee, Fla., May 31, 1937.

Hon. D. Stuart Gillis,
President of the Senate.

Sir:

Your Committee on Prison and Convicts, to whom was referred:

House Bill No. 260:

A bill to be entitled An Act to prohibit the sale, disposition or exchange in Florida of goods, wares and merchandise manufactured or mined in whole or in part by convicts or prisoners (except convicts or prisoners on parole or probation); providing for the sale of such goods, wares and merchandise to any Federal, state, county or town government, or any other political subdivision thereof, and providing penalties for the violation of this Act.

Have had the same under consideration, and recommend that the same do not pass.

Very respectfully,
J. D. DUGGER,
Chairman of Committee.

And House Bill No. 260, contained in the above report, was laid on the table.

Senator Kelly, Chairman of the Committee on Corporations, submitted the following report:

Senate Chamber,
Tallahassee, Fla., May 31, 1937.

Hon. D. Stuart Gillis,
President of the Senate.

Sir:

Your Committee on Corporations, to whom was referred:

House Bill No. 624:

A bill to be entitled An Act authorizing the organization of non-profit corporations by persons engaged in the business of buying, selling, packing and marketing commercial sponges, authorizing the judges of the Circuit Courts of the State of Florida to grant charters for such corporations, and prescribing the privileges and powers of such corporations.

Have had the same under consideration, and recommend that the same do pass.

Very respectfully,
J. LOCKE KELLY,
Chairman of Committee.

And House Bill No. 624, contained in the above report, was placed on the Calendar of Bills on second reading.

Senator Dame, Chairman of the Committee on Public Health, submitted the following report.

Senate Chamber,
Tallahassee, Fla., May 31, 1937.

Hon. D. Stuart Gillis,
President of the Senate.

Sir:

Your Committee on Public Health, to whom was referred:

House Bill No. 118:

A bill to be entitled An Act to provide for the purchase, distribution and administration of insulin in the State of Florida by the State Board of Health; making the appropriation therefor and creating a fund to be known as the Insulin Fund; and providing for a penalty for making fraudulent applications for same.

Have had the same under consideration, and recommend that the same do pass.

Very respectfully,

GEO. A. DAME,
Chairman of Committee.

And House Bill No. 118, contained in the above report, was placed on the Calendar of Bills on second reading.

Senator Johns, Chairman of the Committee on Agriculture and Live Stock, submitted the following report:

Senate Chamber,
Tallahassee, Fla., May 31, 1937.

Hon. D. Stuart Gillis,
President of the Senate.

Sir:

Your Committee on Agriculture and Live Stock, to whom was referred:

Senate Bill No. 1028:

A bill to be entitled An Act relative to livestock, its registration, transportation, slaughter, sale and inspection, providing for the creation of livestock districts, the appointment, duties and compensation of Livestock Inspectors, and the making and keeping of a system of public records of such inspection and their admission in evidence, defining livestock, repealing inconsistent laws, and providing penalties for the violation of this Act.

Have had the same under consideration, and recommend that the same do pass.

Very respectfully,

CHARLEY E. JOHNS,
Chairman of Committee.

And Senate Bill No. 1028, contained in the above report, was placed on the Calendar of Bills on second reading.

Senator Walker, Chairman of the Committee on Pensions and Claims, submitted the following report:

Senate Chamber,
Tallahassee, Fla., May 31, 1937.

Hon. D. Stuart Gillis,
President of the Senate.

Sir:

Your Committee on Pensions and Claims, to whom was referred:

House Bill No. 1704:

A bill to be entitled An Act granting a pension to Mrs. Julia Gray of Santa Rosa County, Florida.

Also—

House Bill No. 1402:

A bill to be entitled An Act granting a school teacher's pension to Mattie Willis Hancock of Wakulla county, Florida, and making appropriation therefor.

Also—

House Bill No. 1364:

A bill to be entitled An Act for the relief of Tom Sheppard and his wife of Lake Butler, Union County, Florida.

Also—

House Bill No. 282:

A bill to be entitled An Act granting a pension to Vester Culverson, presently of Wakulla County, Florida.

Also—

House Bill No. 1693:

A bill to be entitled An Act to grant a pension to Mrs. Emma L. Gufford of Pasco County, Florida, widow of J. L. Gufford.

Also—

House Bill No. 331:

A bill to be entitled An Act granting a pension to Eugenia Fair and appropriating funds to pay same.

Also—

House Bill No. 498:

A bill to be entitled An Act granting a pension to Mrs. May Beaty Martin, widow of Fletcher Burr Martin.

Also—

House Bill No. 248:

A bill to be entitled An Act granting a pension to Nannie A. Tait of Dade City, Pasco County, Florida, widow of John Thomas Tait, deceased, Confederate veteran.

Also—

House Bill No. 724:

A bill to be entitled An Act to grant a special pension to Mrs. Lois Busto, Lois Marie Busto, Belta Busto, and John F. Busto, Jr., of Monroe County, Florida, and for the appropriation of monies to carry out this act.

Also—

House Bill No. 80:

A bill to be entitled An Act requiring payment of pensions to designated persons, upon death of pensioner; and requiring the payment by the State of Florida to the estate of all pensioners of the State of Florida who departed this life between the first day of August, 1933 and the date upon which this act shall take effect.

Have had the same under consideration, and report the same without recommendation.

Very respectfully,

H. N. WALKER,
Chairman of Committee.

And House Bills Nos. 1704, 1402, 1364, 282, 1693, 331, 498, 248, 724 and 80, contained in the above report, were placed on the Calendar of Bills on second reading.

Senator Walker, Chairman of the Committee on Pensions and Claims, submitted the following report:

Senate Chamber,
Tallahassee, Fla., May 31, 1937.

Hon. D. Stuart Gillis,
President of the Senate.

Sir:

Your Committee on Pensions and Claims, to whom was referred:

Senate Bill No. 1113:

A bill to be entitled An Act for the relief of F. R. Harrison. Have had the same under consideration, and report the same without recommendation.

Very respectfully,

H. N. WALKER,
Chairman of Committee.

And Senate Bill No. 1113, contained in the above report, was placed on the Calendar of Bills on second reading.

REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON ENGROSSED BILLS

Senator Hinely, Chairman of the Committee on Engrossed Bills, submitted the following report:

Senate Chamber,
Tallahassee, Fla., May 31, 1937.

Hon. D. Stuart Gillis,
President of the Senate.

Sir:

Your Committee on Engrossed Bills, to whom was referred (with amendments), after third reading:

Senate Bill No. 72:

A bill to be entitled An Act granting a pension to Lewis Green of Hamilton County, Florida.

Have carefully examined same, and find same correctly engrossed, and return same herewith.

Very respectfully,

S. A. HINELY,

Chairman of Committee.

And Senate Bill No. 72, contained in the above report, was referred to the Committee on Enrolled Bills.

Senator Hinely, Chairman of the Committee on Engrossed Bills, submitted the following report:

Senate Chamber,

Tallahassee, Fla., May 31, 1937.

Hon. D. Stuart Gillis,
President of the Senate.

Sir:

Your Committee on Engrossed Bills, to whom was referred (with amendments), after third reading:

Senate Bill No. 150:

A bill to be entitled An Act to amend Section 5995, Revised General Statutes of Florida, 1920, same being Section 8289, Compiled General Laws of Florida, 1927, the same being Laws fixing and prescribing the power and jurisdiction of Justices of the Peace to try and determine misdemeanors committed in their respective districts. The effect of this Act being to abolish trial jurisdiction of misdemeanors in Justices of Peace, and to vest same in County Judge; and providing that all proceedings now pending in the Justice of Peace Courts shall not be affected by this Act, and making certain exemptions for Counties in specified classifications.

Have carefully examined same, and find same correctly engrossed, and return same herewith.

Very respectfully,

S. A. HINELY,

Chairman of Committee.

And Senate Bill No. 150, contained in the above report, was referred to the Committee on Enrolled Bills.

Senator Hinely, Chairman of the Committee on Engrossed Bills, submitted the following report:

Senate Chamber,

Tallahassee, Fla., May 31, 1937.

Hon. D. Stuart Gillis,
President of the Senate.

Sir:

Your Committee on Engrossed Bills, to whom was referred (with amendments), after third reading:

Senate Bill No. 333:

A bill to be entitled An Act designating and fixing compensation for the Tax Assessors and Tax Collectors of the several counties of the State of Florida, designating who shall pay such compensation and the funds from which payment shall be made, and providing the basis of commissions on the assessments and collections made, and repealing all Acts to the contrary.

Have carefully examined same, and find same correctly engrossed, and return same herewith.

Very respectfully,

S. A. HINELY,

Chairman of Committee.

And Senate Bill No. 333, contained in the above report, was referred to the Committee on Enrolled Bills.

Senator Hinely, Chairman of the Committee on Engrossed Bills, submitted the following report:

Senate Chamber,

Tallahassee, Fla., May 31, 1937.

Hon. D. Stuart Gillis,
President of the Senate.

Sir:

Your Committee on Engrossed Bills, to whom was referred (with amendments), after third reading:

Senate Bill No. 360:

A bill to be entitled An Act to amend Section 4441 Revised General Statutes of Florida, 1920, same being section 6405 of the Compiled General Laws of Florida, 1927, relating to fraternal benefit societies.

Have carefully examined same, and find same correctly engrossed, and return same herewith.

Very respectfully

S. A. HINELY,

Chairman of Committee.

And Senate Bill No. 360, contained in the above report, was referred to the Committee on Enrolled Bills.

Senator Hinely, Chairman of the Committee on Engrossed Bills, submitted the following report:

Senate Chamber,

Tallahassee, Fla., May 31, 1937.

Hon. D. Stuart Gillis,
President of the Senate.

Sir:

Your Committee on Engrossed Bills, to whom was referred (with amendments), after third reading:

Senate Bill No. 421:

A bill to be entitled An Act to grant a pension to Mrs. Josephine Gavin of Hillsborough County, Florida.

Have carefully examined same, and find same correctly engrossed, and return same herewith.

Very respectfully,

S. A. HINELY,

Chairman of Committee.

And Senate Bill No. 421, contained in the above report, was referred to the Committee on Enrolled Bills.

Senator Hinely, Chairman of the Committee on Engrossed Bills, submitted the following report:

Senate Chamber,

Tallahassee, Fla., May 31, 1937.

Hon. D. Stuart Gillis,
President of the Senate.

Sir:

Your Committee on Engrossed Bills, to whom was referred (with amendments), after third reading:

Senate Bill No. 459:

A bill to be entitled An Act relating to compensation of Tax Collectors and Tax Assessors when same does not equal the annual income of Twenty-four Hundred Dollars and necessary office expenses not to exceed Fifteen Hundred Dollars per annum in counties having a population of not less than thirteen thousand three hundred and not exceeding thirteen thousand three hundred and sixty, according to the Florida State Census of 1935, and prescribing the method of payment of such compensation and the fund from which same shall be paid.

Have carefully examined same, and find same correctly engrossed, and return same herewith.

Very respectfully,

S. A. HINELY,

Chairman of Committee.

And Senate Bill No. 459, contained in the above report, was referred to the Committee on Enrolled Bills.

Senator Hinely, Chairman of the Committee on Engrossed Bills, submitted the following report:

Senate Chamber,

Tallahassee, Fla., May 31, 1937

Hon. D. Stuart Gillis,
President of the Senate.

Sir:

Your Committee on Engrossed Bills, to whom was referred (with amendments), after third reading:

Senate Bill No. 356:

A bill to be entitled An Act granting a pension to Samuel M. Niblack.

Have carefully examined same, and find same correctly engrossed, and return same herewith,

Very respectfully,

S. A. HINELY,

Chairman of Committee.

And Senate Bill No. 356, contained in the above report, was referred to the Committee on Enrolled Bills.

Senator Hinely, Chairman of the Committee on Enrolled Bills, submitted the following report:

Senate Chamber,

Tallahassee, Fla., May 31, 1937.

Hon. D. Stuart Gillis,
President of the Senate.

Sir:

Your Committee on Engrossed Bills, to whom was referred (with amendments), after third reading:

Senate Bill No. 537:

A bill to be entitled An Act granting a pension to Felix Smith of Hamilton County, Florida.

Have carefully examined same, and find same correctly engrossed, and return same herewith,

Very respectfully,
S. A. HINELY,
Chairman of Committee.

And Senate Bill No. 537, contained in the above report, was referred to the Committee on Enrolled Bills.

Senator Hinely, Chairman of the Committee on Engrossed Bills, submitted the following report:

Senate Chamber,
Tallahassee, Fla., May 31, 1937.

Hon. D. Stuart Gillis,
President of the Senate.

Sir:

Your Committee on Engrossed Bills, to whom was referred (with amendments), after third reading:

Senate Bill No. 1111:

A bill to be entitled An Act creating a State Welfare Board and district welfare boards and providing for their appointment, qualifications, powers and duties; providing that said State Board shall be the agent for the United States, County and Municipal Governments in the administration of funds for the relief of unfortunates; and authorizing the said boards to act as agents for the United States, State, County and Municipal Governments in the administration of any funds for investigations, social welfare work, or any other work incident to the public welfare of the United States, State, County and Municipal Governments; authorizing the State Welfare Board to promulgate rules and regulations necessary to carry out the intent and purposes of this Act; providing for the supervision of State and local institutions for destitute or dependent children and providing for the disposition, care, protection, support and maintenance of dependent children; authorizing the State Welfare Board to establish minimum standards of care for all local public and private institutions or agencies; creating the office of State Welfare Commissioner and providing for his appointment; providing that this Act shall not affect the enforcement of Chapter 9274, Acts of 1923, of Chapter 11834, and 13384, Acts of 1927, of Chapter 13620, Acts of 1929, and Acts amendatory thereof; repealing all other laws or parts of laws in conflict herewith; and making appropriations to carry out the purposes of said Act; and fixing the qualifications of persons entitled to monetary benefits or assistance under this Act.

Have carefully examined same, and find same correctly engrossed, and return same herewith,

Very respectfully,
S. A. HINELY,
Chairman of Committee.

And Senate Bill No. 1111, contained in the above report, was ordered to be certified to the House of Representatives.

Senator Hinely, Chairman of the Committee on Engrossed Bills, submitted the following report:

Senate Chamber,
Tallahassee, Fla., May 30, 1937.

Hon. D. Stuart Gillis,
President of the Senate.

Sir:

Your Committee on Engrossed Bills, to whom was referred (with amendments), after third reading:

Senate Bill No. 1082:

A bill to be entitled An Act authorizing and providing for the participation of the State of Florida in the New York World's Fair in New York City, beginning during the year 1939 providing for a World's Fair Commission and making appropriation therefor.

Have carefully examined same, and find same correctly engrossed, and return same herewith,

Very respectfully,
S. A. HINELY,
Chairman of Committee.

And Senate Bill No. 1082, contained in the above report, was ordered to be certified to the House of Representatives.

REPORT OF JOINT COMMITTEE ON ENROLLED BILLS

Senator McKenzie, Chairman of the Joint Committee on Enrolled Bills on the part of the Senate, submitted the following report:

Senate Chamber,
Tallahassee, Fla., May 31, 1937.

Hon. D. Stuart Gillis,
President of the Senate.

Sir:

Your Joint Committee on Enrolled Bills, to whom was referred:

Senate Bill No. 74:

A bill to be entitled An Act granting a pension to Jane Hogans of Hamilton County, Florida, widow of A. H. Hogans, Sr.

Also—

Senate Bill No. 267:

A bill to be entitled An Act to grant a pension to Mrs. Ellen Daughtry of Suwannee County, Florida.

Also—

Senate Bill No. 318:

A bill to be entitled An Act to cancel of Record Tax Certificates for the year 1920 and prior years thereto in counties having a population of not less than thirteen thousand three hundred and not exceeding thirteen thousand three hundred and sixty.

Also—

Senate Bill No. 401:

A bill to be entitled An Act relating to pensions and to provide that the widow of any person entitled to pension by reason of service in and for the Confederate States during the War Between the States shall not be debarred from pension on account of remarriage.

Also—

Senate Bill No. 465:

A bill to be entitled An Act granting a pension to Mrs. Anna Berry of Suwannee County, Florida.

Also—

Senate Bill No. 483:

A bill to be entitled An Act providing for the cancellation and release of all State, Dade County and Okeechobee Flood Control District Tax Sale Certificates and all Outstanding Tax Sale Certificates and held and owned by the State of Florida, Dade County Okeechobee Flood Control District, on and over Lots 1, 2, 3, and 4, Black "C," of Highland Park, according to the plat thereof recorded in Plat Book 2 at page 13 of the Public Records.

Also—

Senate Bill No. 649:

A bill to be entitled An Act for the relief of Memorial Presbyterian Church of West Palm Beach, Palm Beach County, Florida; providing for the cancellation of certain State of Florida, County of Palm Beach and City of West Palm Beach taxes upon the property of said church and for other purposes.

Also—

Senate Bill No. 815:

A bill to be entitled An Act relating to the hunting of game in the State of Florida, on Sunday, in the counties of this State having a population of not less than 12,900 and not more than 13,000, according to the State's census of 1935, and providing for the violation thereof.

Also—

Senate Bill No. 976:

A bill to be entitled An Act providing for the distribution and use of three-fourths of the surplus monies in any account of any county of the State of Florida having a population, according to the last preceding State Census of not less than 16,900 nor more than 17,000, except sinking fund accounts, after such application as is provided in Chapter 14486, Laws of Florida, Acts of 1929, as the same has heretofore been amended; provided, that such surplus shall be remitted to the State Road Department to the extent and as herein provided for use as herein provided.

Beg leave to report that the same have this day been presented to the Governor for his approval.

Very respectfully,

H. S. McKENZIE,

Chairman of the Joint Committee on Enrolled Bills on the Part of the Senate.

Senator McKenzie, Chairman of the Joint Committee on Enrolled Bills on the Part of the Senate, submitted the following report:

Senate Chamber,
Tallahassee, Fla., May 31, 1937.

Hon. D. Stuart Gillis,
President of the Senate.

Sir:

Your Joint Committee on Enrolled Bills, to whom was referred:

Senate Bill No. 338:

A bill to be entitled An Act for the relief of Cook's Sanatorium, Inc., a corporation not for profit organized and existing under the Laws of the State of Florida; on account of tax liens against property owned by said corporation and on which is located and operated said hospital.

Also—

Senate Bill No. 405:

A bill to be entitled An Act to provide for the acquiring of additional lands adjacent to the monument erected near St. Joseph's Bay under the provisions of Chapter 8481, Acts of 1921, and to declare such additional lands with the lands on which the monument stands, to be a State Park and to provide for the care and upkeep of the same, and to make an annual appropriation to pay the expense thereof.

Also—

Senate Bill No. 406:

A bill to be entitled An Act to authorize the Board of Commissioners of State Institutions to repair and have additional names cut on the monument near Port St. Joe, Florida, the same being a monument to the birthplace of the Constitution and government of Florida erected under provisions of Chapter 8481, Acts of 1921, and making appropriation therefor.

Also—

Senate Bill No. 604:

A bill to be entitled An Act to amend Sections 1, 3, 4, 10, 14, 16, 23, 24 and 27, of Chapter 13893, General Laws of 1929, being an "Act to authorize the County Commissioners of any county, or governing body of any municipality, within the State of Florida, to adopt for use or use experimentally, a voting machine or voting machines for the conduct of elections in such counties or municipalities, and setting forth the requirements of conducting elections by and with the use of such voting machines, and directing how the official returns of elections conducted with the aid of such voting machines shall be made, and providing a penalty for unlawfully possessing such voting machines or the keys thereto and prescribing a penalty for wilfully tampering or attempting to tamper, disarrange, deface, or impair such voting machines, and also defining some of the terms used in this Act"; and providing for other matters relating to the adoption and use of voting machines and providing for the duties of certain municipalities in regard thereto.

Also—

Senate Bill No. 779:

A bill to be entitled An Act authorizing the City Council of the City of Monticello, Florida, to adjust delinquent City Taxes and outstanding improvement liens, and prescribing the conditions under which such adjustments may be made and the method of procedure.

Also—

Senate Bill No. 787:

A bill to be entitled An Act approving, confirming and validating all compromises and adjustments for the redemption or purchase of Tax Sale Certificates, or any portion of any such certificates held by the State for the year 1933, and/or any previous year or years upon lands within Escambia County heretofore effected, made and allowed by the Board of County Commissioners and the County Tax Assessor and the Clerk of the Circuit Court acting as a "Delinquent Tax Adjustment Board" or otherwise.

Also—

Senate Bill No. 823:

A bill to be entitled An Act to amend Sections 7, 15, 23, 24, 26 and 32 of Chapter 9026 (No. 631), Laws of Florida, Acts of 1921, as amended by Chapter 10915 No. (893), Laws of Florida, Acts of 1925, being "An Act to incorporate and establish a municipal government for the Town of Monticello, in the County of Jefferson and State of Florida, provide for its government, prescribe its jurisdiction and powers and to abolish the present corporation of said town."

Also—

Senate Bill No. 862:

A bill to be entitled An Act authorizing and permitting tax payers in the City of Inverness, Florida, to pay all taxes levied for debt service without the payment of taxes levied for operating purposes and to pay taxes levied for operating purposes without the taxes levied for debt service and providing that the non-payment of any tax shall not relieve any taxable property from the tax lien created by such levy.

Also—

Senate Bill No. 863:

A bill to be entitled An Act fixing the maximum tax levy for operating purposes and the maximum tax levy for debt service in the City of Inverness, Florida, and making illegal and void all millages levied in excess of said amounts.

Also—

Senate Bill No. 884:

A bill to be entitled An Act ratifying, confirming, validating, and legalizing, all Acts and proceedings of the town council of the Town of Hastings, a municipality in the County of St. Johns, State of Florida, and all Acts and proceedings of the Commissioner of Public Works of said town and the engineers, engineering staff, attorneys, and other agents, officers and employees of said town, heretofore done and performed, in connection with the construction and installation of the improvements authorized in and by Chapter 6695, Laws of Florida, Acts of 1913, and the making, levying and imposing of the special assessments authorized in and by said Act against abutting property, and ratifying, confirming, validating and legalizing all such special assessments heretofore levied and imposed by said town, and declaring such assessments to be valid and binding liens against property, and excepting the liens of such special assessments from the Statutes of Limitations.

Also—

Senate Bill No. 885:

A bill to be entitled An Act ratifying, confirming, validating and legalizing all the assessments, valuations of properties and levies of taxes made by the Town of Hastings, a municipality in the County of St. Johns and State of Florida, for the taxable years 1918 to 1936, both inclusive, and authorizing the collection of said taxes in the manner provided by law.

Also—

Senate Bill No. 900:

A bill to be entitled An Act to validate and confirm the assessments and levy of taxes made by the Town of Flagler Beach, Florida, for the years 1925 to 1936, inclusive.

Also—

Senate Bill No. 923:

A bill to be entitled An Act to authorize, ratify, confirm and validate the purchase, ownership, holding, operating, leasing, selling or otherwise disposing of a dock by the City of Port St. Joe, Florida, and the issuance for the purpose of the purchase thereof of certain bonds of said city.

Also—

Senate Bill No. 946:

A bill to be entitled An Act amending Section 24 of Chapter 6722 of the Laws of Florida, approved May 9th, 1913, to permit the City of Manatee to license privileges, business, occupations and professions carried on and engaged in within the city limits, the amount of such license and license taxes to be fixed by city ordinance, without reference to any General State Law.

Also—

Senate Bill No. 948:

A bill to be entitled An Act to amend An Act of the Legislature of the State of Florida, known as Chapter 16462, Acts of 1933, providing for the Incorporation of Certain Lands in Hillsborough County, into a special sanitary district known as Suburbs Beautiful Special Sanitary District, a municipal corporation, and other purposes, as heretofore amended by Chapter 17553, Laws of Florida 1935, by limiting and restricting the use of Lots of Land in the district to the uses, conditions and limitations set forth in certain deeds and plats, to empower and require the district to enforce such uses, conditions, limitations and restrictions, to require permits for the construction, placing, erection or alteration of buildings on the lots of land in the district, to declare it a misdemeanor and to impose a penalty for failure to procure such a permit, to authorize and increase in compensation to the Secretary-Treasurer of the district, to validate Acts, assessments and liens pursuant to Chapter 17553, Laws of Florida 1935, to validate the provisions of Section 6 of Chapter 17553, Laws of Florida 1935, to validate assessments and liens pursuant to Chapter 16462, Laws of Florida 1933, and for other purposes.

Also—

Senate Bill No. 953:

A bill to be entitled An Act to prohibit the operation of motor propelled boats or water craft without mufflers on Key-stone Lake in Hillsborough County, Florida, and to provide a penalty for the violation thereof.

Also—

Senate Bill No. 958:

A bill to be entitled An Act fixing and determining the basis of the compensation of the County Tax Assessor in counties having a population of not less than 150,000 and not more than 165,000, according to the last State Census and providing for the determination of such compensation for the year 1936 and all prior years.

Beg leave to report that the same have this day been presented to the Governor for his approval.

Very respectfully,

H. S. MCKENZIE,

Chairman of the Joint Committee on Enrolled Bills
on the Part of the Senate.

Senator McKenzie, Chairman of the Joint Committee on Enrolled Bills on the part of the Senate, submitted the following report:

Senate Chamber,
Tallahassee, Fla., May 31, 1937.

Hon. D. Stuart Gillis,
President of the Senate.
Sir:

Your Joint Committee on Enrolled Bills, to whom was referred:

House Bill No. 838:

A bill to be entitled An Act fixing the compensation of the County Commissioners of counties of the State of Florida having a population not less than thirty thousand seven hundred and not more than thirty thousand eight hundred according to the 1935 State Census.

Also—

Committee Substitute for House Bill No. 1126:

A bill to be entitled An Act providing that the property and debentures of housing authorities shall be exempt from taxation and assessments and authorizing certain payments in lieu of such taxes and assessments.

Also—

Committee Substitute for House Bill No. 1127:

A bill to be entitled An Act to declare the necessity of creating public bodies corporate and politic to be known as housing authorities to undertake slum clearance and projects to provide dwelling accommodations for persons of low income; to create such housing authorities in cities having a population of more than 5,000; to define the powers and duties of housing authorities and to provide for the exercise of such powers, including acquiring property, borrowing money, issuing debentures and other obligations, and giving security therefor; to provide that housing authorities may obtain validation of obligees of housing authorities.

Also—

Committee Substitute for House Bill No. 1128:

A bill to be entitled An Act to authorize cities, towns, counties, and other public bodies and subdivisions to aid housing projects of housing authorities or of the United States of America by conveying or dedicating property, by furnishing parks, playgrounds, streets, roads, water, sewer or drainage facilities and other improvements and facilities, by exercising certain other powers and by making agreements relating to such aid; to authorize cities, towns, counties and other public bodies and subdivisions to contract with respect to the sums to be paid them for improvements, services and facilities to be provided for the benefit of housing projects and to purchase debentures of housing authorities; to require certain cities to make an appropriation for the first year's administrative expenses of housing authorities; and to authorize certain cities, towns and counties to pay moneys to housing authorities.

Also—

House Bill No. 1152:

A bill to be entitled An Act fixing the compensation of members of the Boards of Public Instruction in all counties of the State of Florida having a population of not less than seven thousand one hundred fifty (7,150) nor more than seven thousand two hundred (7,200), according to the State Census of 1935, and prescribing the fund from which such compensation shall be paid.

Also—

House Bill No. 1313:

A bill to be entitled An Act relating to the compensation of the Clerk of the Circuit Court for services performed in suits or proceedings Civil Chancery and Criminal before the Circuit and County Courts in all counties of the State of Florida having a population of not less than nine thousand two hundred and fifty and not more than nine thousand seven hundred and seventy-five according to the official State Census of 1935.

Also—

House Bill No. 1447:

A bill to be entitled An Act to repeal 15899, Laws of Florida, Acts of 1933, same being an Act to fix the salaries of the members of the Board of Public Instruction of and in Sumter County, Florida, to authorize the payment thereof of such salary or salaries thereof in monthly installments, to further provide a penalty for the violation of this Act.

Also—

House Bill No. 1451:

A bill to be entitled An Act to repeal Chapter 15923, Laws of Florida, Acts of 1933, same being an Act to fix the salaries of the Clerk of the Board of County Commissioners of Sumter County, Florida, and/or the Clerk of the Circuit Court of Sumter County, Florida, as Clerk Ex-officio of the County Commissioners of Sumter County, Florida, to authorize the payment of such salary in monthly installments, providing penalties for the violation of this Act, to prohibit the payment of any fee or fees or other reimbursement for any work, service or labor except as provided for payment by this Act, and provide for the enforcement of this Act.

Also—

House Bill No. 1452:

A bill to be entitled An Act to enlarge the powers, duties and authority of the City Council of the City of Titusville; to authorize said City Council to act as a City Adjustment Board; to authorize and empower said Council to compromise, abate, relinquish, adjust and settle any and all City Taxes for the year 1936 and prior years and any and all City Assessments and other liens belonging to said City, including, without restriction, any and all interest, fees, costs and penalties thereon; and to authorize said Council to prescribe the manner and time of payment of any such adjusted amount; and to authorize said City Council to sell, assign, transfer and set over any and all liens owned by said City for any and all Taxes and Assessments, and to prescribe the rights of purchasers.

Also—

House Bill No. 1448:

A bill to be entitled An Act to repeal Chapter 15730, Laws of Florida, Acts of 1931, same being an Act fixing the compensation of the Board of County Commissioners in all coun-

ties of the State of Florida having a population of more than ten thousand six hundred forty and less than twelve thousand, and designating the fund out of which said compensation shall be paid.

Also—

House Bill No. 1453:

A bill to be entitled An Act to repeal Chapter 15951, Laws of Florida, Acts of 1933, same being An Act to fix the salaries of the members of the Board of County Commissioners of Sumter County, Florida, to authorize the payment thereof of such salary or salaries thereof in monthly installments, to further provide a penalty for the violation of this Act.

Also—

House Bill No. 1454:

A bill to be entitled An Act to repeal Chapter 15978, Laws of Florida, Acts of 1933, same being An Act providing for the compensation of the County Tax Assessor, County Tax Collector, County Judge, Superintendent of Public Instruction, Clerk of the Circuit Court, Sheriff of Sumter County, Florida, providing that all fees collected and paid by such officers be paid into a Special Fund to be known as the "County Officers' Fund" and that all such officers to be compensated from such fund, and the expenses of their respective offices to be paid from such fund, and providing for the budgeting of all expenses of all such officers, and providing the duty of the County Commissioners of Sumter County, Florida.

Also—

House Bill No. 1456:

A bill to be entitled An Act to repeal Chapter 16108, Laws of Florida, Acts of 1933, same being an Act prescribing additional duties of the prosecuting attorney in the county court in and for Sumter County, Florida, and providing a penalty to comply with same.

Also—

House Bill No. 1457:

A bill to be entitled An Act cancelling all municipal taxes and paving held by the City of Inverness, Florida, for unpaid municipal taxes and paving upon certain real estate situate in the City of Inverness, Florida, and now owned by Allen Rawls Post No. 77, American Legion, Department of Florida, and in this Act described, and exempting said real estate from municipal taxes so long as same is used by Allen Rawls Post No. 77, American Legion, Department of Florida.

Also—

House Bill No. 1460:

A bill to be entitled An Act to repeal Chapter 15056, Laws of Florida, Acts of 1931, the same being an Act directing the Board of County Commissioners, the Tax Collector and/or the Clerk of the Court or any City Council or City Commissioners of all counties having a population of not less than ten thousand nor more than eleven thousand according to the 1930 United States Census for Florida, to accept and exchange of bonds or delinquent interest coupons or other delinquent obligations of all counties having a population of not less than ten thousand and not more than eleven thousand according to the 1930 United States Census of Florida districts in such counties and municipalities in such counties at par in the redemption of lands from tax sales and in payment of delinquent taxes due to the same or in payment of all current taxes except that part of the State of Florida assessed and collected in such counties.

Also—

House Bill No. 1467:

A bill to be entitled An Act to ratify, validate and confirm certain Acts of the Trustees of Special Tax School District No. 3, and of the Board of Public Instruction of Martin County, Florida, in connection with the purchase and acquisition of a certain school property and building at Hobe Sound, heretofore used and now being used for school purposes, and to ratify payments made and credits allowed upon the purchase price thereof.

Also—

House Bill No. 1473:

A bill to be entitled An Act to repeal Chapter 14722, Laws of Florida, Acts of 1931, same being An Act to require the County Judge and/or Tax Collector of all counties

having a population of not less than ten thousand and not more than eleven thousand according to the 1930 United States census of Florida, proposing and collecting a license tax for the privilege of fishing and hunting in all such counties in addition to assessing and collecting of a like tax now imposed for the privilege of hunting and fishing in any county in the State of Florida and providing that such fund, when so collected, shall be deposited in and to the fund to be known as the County Game and Fish Fund, and to provide for the employment of a Game Warden or Wardens out of such fund for the enforcement of the Fish and Game Laws in such counties, and to provide penalties for the violation of this Act, providing that said Act shall not apply to or effect Pasco County, Florida.

Also—

House Bill No. 1475:

A bill to be entitled An Act amending Chapter 15088, Acts of the Legislature of Florida of 1931, entitled "An Act to provide for the creation of a municipal corporation to be known as the Town of Boynton Beach, in Palm Beach County, Florida, to fix and determine the territorial limits thereof, the jurisdiction and powers of said town and its officers; to provide for the organization and government thereof; to determine and fix respective rights and liabilities of the existing Town of Boynton and the Town of Boynton Beach, as created by this Act, in respect to the existing indebtedness of the present Town of Boynton and public property owned by the existing Town of Boynton; and authorizing the issuance of bonds of the Town of Boynton Beach to refund its proportion of the bonded indebtedness of the existing Town of Boynton assumed by it under this Act," changing the name of said Town of Boynton Beach, Palm Beach County, Florida, to Ocean Ridge, Palm Beach County, Florida and providing for a referendum.

Also—

House Bill No. 1476:

A bill to be entitled An Act to repeal Chapter 15969, Laws of Florida, Acts of 1933, same being An Act to amend Senate Bill 762 passed at the Regular Session of the 1933 Session of the Florida Legislature providing "An Act providing for the compensation of the County Tax Assessor, County Tax Collector, Superintendent of Public Instruction, Clerk of the Circuit Court, Sheriff of Sumter County, Florida, providing that all fees collected and paid by such officers be paid into a Special Fund to be known as the County Officers' Fund and that all such officers to be compensated from such fund and the expenses of their respective offices to be paid from such fund, and providing for the budgeting of all expenses of all such officers, and providing the duty of a County Commissioner of Sumter County, Florida."

Also—

House Bill No. 1497:

A bill to be entitled An Act declaring the hunting of game and game birds, in Gilchrist County, Florida, on Sunday, to be unlawful, and providing a penalty for the violation hereof, and providing for an election hereon.

Also—

House Bill No. 1557:

A bill to be entitled An Act to provide for the cancellation and release of Hillsborough County, and City of Tampa Tax Sale Certificates, Tax Assessments and Liens and Tax Deeds issued to and owned by Hillsborough County, or City of Tampa, on or over Lot 19 of the Barmac Subdivision, a Resubdivision of Lots 1 and 2 of Block 16, of Oakford Subdivision, according to map or plat thereof as same appears of record in Plat Book 11, on page 61, of the Public Records of Hillsborough County, Florida.

Also—

House Bill No. 1561:

A bill to be entitled An Act to amend Section Fifty-five of Chapter 9692 of the Laws of Florida, Acts of 1923, being "An Act to incorporate the City of Bradentown, in Manatee County, Florida, and to provide for its government and prescribe its jurisdiction and powers and to abolish the present corporation of the City of Bradentown, in Manatee County, Florida," by providing an additional method of amending said Charter, and repealing all laws and parts of laws in conflict herewith.

Also—

House Bill No. 1562:

A bill to be entitled An Act authorizing and empowering the Board of County Commissioners of all counties of the State of Florida, having a population of not less than 14,554 and not more than 14,560, according to the State Census of 1935; to eliminate from the fiscal budget of said counties the fund known and designated as "Bond Construction Fund;" and to rebudget said fund and transfer and distribute same to the maintenance funds of the road districts of said counties entitled to participate therein; and authorizing and empowering said board to amend the fiscal budget for any year at any time by re-budgeting and re-apportioning any fund set up therein; and to repeal all laws or parts of laws in conflict herewith.

Also—

House Bill No. 1568:

A bill to be entitled An Act authorizing and empowering the Board of County Commissioners of counties having a population of not less than 14,554 and not more than 14,560, according to the State Census of 1935, to sell certain bonds and coupons at public or private sale, and granting to said boards the authority and power to accept refunding obligations, with authority to make concessions and compromises in regard thereto.

Also—

House Bill No. 1599:

A bill to be entitled An Act ratifying, confirming validating and legalizing the assessments, valuations of properties and levy of taxes by the City of DeLand, a municipality located in Volusia County, in this State, for the years 1931, 1932, 1933, 1934, 1935 and 1936, and authorizing the collection of said taxes.

Also—

House Bill No. 1756:

A bill to be entitled An Act relating to the City of West Palm Beach in Palm Beach County, Florida, and to amend Sections 58, 130, 133 and 134 of Chapter 16759, Special Laws of Florida, Acts of 1933, entitled: "An Act to create and establish a taxing district to be known as the District of West Palm Beach in Palm Beach County, Florida; to legalize and validate the ordinances of the former City of West Palm Beach in Palm Beach County, Florida, so far as the same apply to the subject matter of this Act and the official Acts thereunder and to adopt the same as the ordinances of the taxing district of West Palm Beach in Palm Beach County, Florida; to prescribe the time within which suits can be brought against the said district and for notice thereof; to fix and provide the territorial limits, jurisdiction and powers of said district and the jurisdiction and powers of its officers and to provide for a referendum," to create and delegate to said City Additional Powers; to provide for a referendum of each section of this Act; and for other purposes.

Beg leave to report that the same have this day been presented to the Governor for his approval.

Very respectfully,

H. S. MCKENZIE,

Chairman of the Joint Committee on Enrolled Bills on the Part of the Senate.

The hour of adjournment having arrived, a point of order was called and the Senate took a recess at 5:54 o'clock P. M. until 8:00 o'clock P. M. today.

NIGHT SESSION

The Senate reconvened at 8:00 P. M., pursuant to recess order.

The President in the Chair.

The roll was called and the following Senators answered to their names:

Mr. President: Senators Adams, Beacham, Beall, Butler, Clarke, Coulter, Dame, Dugger, Gomez, Graham, Hinely, Hodges, Holland, Johns, Kanner, Kelly, Kendrick, McArthur, McKenzie, Mapoles, Murphy, Nordman, Parker, Parrish, Rose, Savage, Sharit, Sweger, Tervin, Tillman, Touchton, Walker, Westbrook, Wynn—35.

A quorum present.

Senator Harper was excused from attendance upon the session on account of illness.

By permission the following Reports of Committees were filed:

REPORTS OF COMMITTEES

Senator Parker, Chairman of the Committee on Public Roads and Highways, submitted the following report:

Senate Chamber,
Tallahassee, Fla., May 31, 1937.

Hon. D. Stuart Gillis,
President of the Senate.

Sir:

Your Committee on Public Roads and Highways, to whom was referred:

Senate Bill No. 377:

A bill to be entitled An Act to declare, designate and establish a certain State Road.

Also—

Senate Bill No. 793:

A bill to be entitled An Act designating the public Road in Hillsborough County beginning at the intersection of the West Bank of the Hillsborough River and Florida Avenue, thence along said River in a southerly direction to the Bayshore Boulevard, thence along the Bayshore Boulevard to Gandy Boulevard, thence along Gandy Boulevard to the Gandy Bridge as a part of the system of State Roads.

Also—

Senate Bill No. 930:

A bill to be entitled An Act to redesignate and re-establish State Road No. 28 to repeal Chapter 12373, Laws of Florida Acts of 1927 and Chapter 13854, Laws of Florida, Acts of 1929.

Also—

Senate Bill No. 1094:

A bill to be entitled An Act to declare, designate and establish a Certain State Road.

Also—

Senate Bill No. 1112:

A bill to be entitled An Act to declare, designate and establish a certain State Road.

Have had the same under consideration, and recommend that the same do pass.

Very respectfully,

F. P. PARKER,
Chairman of Committee.

And Senate Bills Nos. 377, 793, 930, 1094 and 1112, contained in the above report, were placed on the Calendar of Bills on second reading.

Senator Nordman, Chairman of the Committee on Insurance, submitted the following report:

Senate Chamber,
Tallahassee, Fla., May 31, 1937.

Hon. D. Stuart Gillis,
President of the Senate.

Sir:

Your Committee on Insurance, to whom was referred:

Senate Bill No. 507:

A bill to be entitled An Act to amend Sections 6199 and 6200, Compiled General Laws of Florida, 1927 (being Sections 4249 and 4250 respectively, Revised General Statutes of Florida, 1920), all relating to companies, associations, corporations, firms, or individuals transacting any business of insurance in the State, not excepted from the provisions of this Act, increasing the financial requirements of insurers transacting any business of insurance, fidelity, or surety, in Florida; providing additional requirements of a reciprocal nature of foreign or alien corporations transacting an insurance, fidelity, or surety business in Florida; amending Section 6203 Compiled General Laws of Florida, 1927 (being Section 4253 Revised General Statutes of Florida, 1920), relating to annual publication of insurance reports, making violation of any provision of this Act a misdemeanor and a continuing offense, and repealing or modifying all laws in conflict with same.

Also—

Senate Bill No. 878:

A bill to be entitled An Act relating to advertisement and

issuance of insurance contracts containing an assessment clause and providing for certain exemptions.

Have had the same under consideration, and recommend that the same do pass.

Very respectfully,
F. B. NORDMAN,
Chairman of Committee.

And Senate Bills Nos. 507 and 878, contained in the above report, were placed on the Calendar of Bills on second reading.

Senator Kendrick, Chairman of the Committee Military Affairs, submitted the following report:

Senate Chamber,
Tallahassee, Fla., May 31, 1937.

Hon. D. Stuart Gillis,
President of the Senate.
Sir:

Your Committee on Military Affairs, to whom was referred:

House Bill No. 730:

A bill to be entitled An Act for payment of wages of \$3.50 per day to each National Guard Bandsman for each day of encampment or when called out for other duties.

Have had the same under consideration, and recommend that the same do pass.

Very respectfully,
PETER KENDRICK,
Chairman of Committee.

And House Bill No. 730, contained in the above report, was placed on the Calendar of Bills on second reading.

SENATE LOCAL BILLS ON SECOND READING

By unanimous consent Senator Dugger withdrew Senate Bill No. 893.

By unanimous consent Senator Tervin withdrew Senate Bill No. 892.

By unanimous consent Senator Dugger withdrew Senate Bill No. 1006.

Senate Bill No. 1023:

A bill to be entitled An Act fixing the salaries of certain officers of the City of Tampa, Florida.

Was taken up in its order.

Senator Tillman moved that the rules be waived and Senate Bill No. 1023 be read the second time by title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And Senate Bill No. 1023 was read the second time by title only.

Senator Tillman moved that the rules be further waived and Senate Bill No. 1023 be read the third time in full and put upon its passage.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And Senate Bill No. 1023 was read the third time in full.

Upon the passage of the bill the roll was called and the vote was:

Yeas—Mr. President; Senators Adams, Beacham, Butler, Clarke, Coulter, Dame, Gomez, Hinely, Hodges, Holland, Johns, Kanner, Kelly, Kendrick, McKenzie, Murphy, Nordman, Parker, Parrish, Rose, Savage, Sharit, Sweger, Tervin, Tillman, Touchton, Walker, Westbrook, Wynn—30.

Nays—None.

So the bill passed, title as stated, and the action of the Senate was ordered to be certified to the House of Representatives.

By unanimous consent Senator Hodges withdrew Senate Bill No. 1044.

Senate Bills Nos. 1936 and 1091 were taken up in their order and the consideration thereof was informally passed.

Senate Bill No. 1088:

A bill to be entitled An Act to amend Section 5 of An Act entitled "An Act validating and confirming all proceedings heretofore taken by the Board of County Commissioners of Polk County, Florida, for the creation of Special Road and Bridge District No. 12 of Polk County Florida; declaring said district to be a legally organized special road and bridge district under the Laws of Florida, and establishing the boundaries of said district; ratifying the result of the election held on May 12th, 1925, for the creation of said district and for the construction of certain roads

and bridges therein and for the issuance of bonds of said district in the sum of \$625,000.00 to pay for such construction; ratifying and confirming the authority of the Board of County Commissioners of Polk County, Florida, to create said district pursuant to said election; and authorizing the said Board of County Commissioners to issue bonds of said district in said sum of \$625,000.00 for the construction of said roads and bridges; and providing for the levy of a tax to pay the principal and interest of said bonds," known as Chapter 11029 of the Special Acts of the Florida Legislature, year 1925, by correcting the description of the maturities of the bonds authorized by said Act and to validate and legalize the issuance of bonds on behalf of said special road and bridge district with the maturities set forth in said description as so amended.

Was taken up in its order.

Senator Holland moved that the rules be waived and Senate Bill No. 1088 be read the second time by title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And Senate Bill No. 1088 was read the second time by title only.

Senator Holland moved that the rules be further waived and Senate Bill No. 1088 be read the third time in full and put upon its passage.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And Senate Bill No. 1088 was read the third time in full.

Upon the passage of the bill the roll was called and the vote was:

Yeas—Mr. President; Senators Adams, Beacham, Butler, Clarke, Coulter, Dame, Gomez, Hinely, Hodges, Holland, Johns, Kanner, Kelly, Kendrick, McKenzie, Murphy, Nordman, Parker, Parrish, Rose, Savage, Sharit, Sweger, Tervin, Tillman, Touchton, Walker, Westbrook, Wynn—30.

Nays—None.

So the bill passed, title as stated, and the action of the Senate was ordered to be certified to the House of Representatives.

Senate Bill No. 1087:

A bill to be entitled An Act relating to the compensation of the Clerk of the Circuit Court as Auditor and as Clerk of the Board of County Commissioners in counties having a population of not less than 7400 and not more than 7450, according to the last Federal census, providing for the payment of such compensation and prescribing the time when this Act shall become a law.

Was taken up in its order and read the second time in full.

Senator Johns offered the following amendment to Senate Bill No. 1087:

In title and Section One wherever the figures 7400 and 7450 appear strike those figures and insert in lieu thereof the following: 5400 and 5450.

Senator Johns moved the adoption of the amendment.

Which was agreed to and the amendment was adopted.

Senator Johns moved that the rules be waived and Senate Bill No. 1087, as amended, be read the third time in full and put upon its passage.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And Senate Bill No. 1087, as amended, was read the third time in full.

Upon the passage of the bill, as amended, the roll was called and the vote was:

Yeas—Mr. President; Senators Adams, Beacham, Butler, Clarke, Coulter, Dame, Gomez, Hinely, Hodges, Holland, Johns, Kanner, Kelly, Kendrick, McKenzie, Murphy, Nordman, Parker, Parrish, Rose, Savage, Sharit, Sweger, Tervin, Tillman, Touchton, Walker, Westbrook, Wynn—30.

Nays—None.

So the bill passed, as amended, and was referred to the Committee on Engrossed Bills.

Senate Bill No. 1118:

A bill to be entitled An Act to authorize the Board of County Commissioners of Nassau County, Florida, to cancel State and county taxes and tax certificates on certain property on condition that the same be conveyed to the First Baptist Church of Callahan, Florida, for eleemosynary purposes; and to prescribe the duties of the County Tax Collector and Clerk of the Circuit Court in that regard.

Was taken up in its order.

Senator McArthur moved that the rules be waived and Senate Bill No. 1118 be read the second time by title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And Senate Bill No. 1118 was read the second time by title only.

Senator McArthur moved that the rules be further waived and Senate Bill No. 1118 be read the third time in full and put upon its passage.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And Senate Bill No. 1118 was read the third time in full.

Upon the passage of the bill the roll was called and the vote was:

Yeas—Mr. President; Senators Adams, Beacham, Butler, Clarke, Coulter, Dame, Gomez, Hinely, Hodges, Holland, Johns, Kanner, Kelly, Kendrick, McKenzie, Murphy, Nordman, Parker, Parrish, Rose, Savage, Sharit, Sweger, Tervin, Tillman, Touchton, Walker, Westbrook, Wynn—30.

Nays—None.

So the bill passed, title as stated, and the action of the Senate was ordered to be certified to the House of Representatives.

Senate Bill No. 1114:

A bill to be entitled An Act authorizing the State Board of Administration, by and with the consent of the Board of County Commissioners, for the County of Monroe, State of Florida, to pay to the Board of Public Instruction for the County of Monroe, State of Florida, and to the City of Key West in the County of Monroe, State of Florida, certain sums heretofore provided to be credited to the account of Monroe County, Florida, as its participation in the State allocation of gasoline taxes, and setting forth the purpose for which said funds may be used.

Was taken up in its order.

Senator Gomez moved that the rules be waived and Senate Bill No. 1114 be read the second time by title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And Senate Bill No. 1114 was read the second time by title only.

Senator Gomez moved that the rules be further waived and Senate Bill No. 1114 be read the third time in full and put upon its passage.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And Senate Bill No. 1114 was read the third time in full.

Upon the passage of the bill the roll was called and the vote was:

Yeas—Mr. President; Senators Adams, Beacham, Butler, Clarke, Coulter, Dame, Gomez, Hinely, Hodges, Holland, Johns, Kanner, Kelly, Kendrick, McKenzie, Murphy, Nordman, Parker, Parrish, Rose, Savage, Sharit, Sweger, Tervin, Tillman, Touchton, Walker, Westbrook, Wynn—30.

Nays—None.

So the bill passed, title as stated, and the action of the Senate was ordered to be certified to the House of Representatives.

Senate Bill No. 1115:

A bill to be entitled An Act authorizing and directing the State Board of Administration, by and with the consent of the Board of County Commissioners of Monroe County, Florida, to use gasoline funds heretofore or hereafter credited to the account of Monroe County, Florida, and administered by the State Board of Administration, for the purpose of purchasing any part, or all, of that issue of Monroe County, Florida, refunding bonds dated April 1, 1929.

Was taken up in its order.

Senator Gomez moved that the rules be waived and Senate Bill No. 1115 be read the second time by title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And Senate Bill No. 1115 was read the second time by title only.

Senator Gomez moved that the rules be further waived and Senate Bill No. 1115 be read the third time in full and put upon its passage.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And Senate Bill No. 1115 was read the third time in full.

Upon the passage of the bill the roll was called and the vote was:

Yeas—Mr. President; Senators Adams, Beacham, Butler, Clarke, Coulter, Dame, Gomez, Hinely, Hodges, Holland, Johns, Kanner, Kelly, Kendrick, McKenzie, Murphy, Nordman, Parker, Parrish, Rose, Savage, Sharit, Sweger, Tervin, Tillman, Touchton, Walker, Westbrook, Wynn—30.

Nays—None.

So the bill passed, title as stated, and the action of the Senate was ordered to be certified to the House of Representatives.

Senate Bill No. 1116:

A bill to be entitled An Act "authorizing the State Board of Administration, by and with the consent of the Board of County Commissioners, for the County of Monroe, State of Florida, to pay to the Board of Public Instruction for the County of Monroe, State of Florida, certain sums heretofore provided to be credited to the account of Monroe County, Florida, as its participation in the State allocation of gasoline taxes, and setting forth the purpose for which said funds may be used."

Was taken up in its order.

Senator Gomez moved that the rules be waived and Senate Bill No. 1116 be read the second time by title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And Senate Bill No. 1116 was read the second time by title only.

Senator Gomez moved that the rules be further waived and Senate Bill No. 1116 be read the third time in full and put upon its passage.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And Senate Bill No. 1116 was read the third time in full.

Upon the passage of the bill the roll was called and the vote was:

Yeas—Mr. President; Senators Adams, Beacham, Butler, Clarke, Coulter, Dame, Gomez, Hinely, Hodges, Holland, Johns, Kanner, Kelly, Kendrick, McKenzie, Murphy, Nordman, Parker, Parrish, Rose, Savage, Sharit, Sweger, Tervin, Tillman, Touchton, Walker, Westbrook, Wynn—30.

Nays—None.

So the bill passed, title as stated, and the action of the Senate was ordered to be certified to the House of Representatives.

Senate Bill No. 1117:

A bill to be entitled "An Act authorizing the State Board of Administration, by and with the consent of the Board of County Commissioners, for the County of Monroe, State of Florida, to pay to the City of Key West in the County of Monroe, State of Florida, certain sums heretofore provided to be credited to the account of Monroe County, Florida, as its participation in the State allocation of gasoline taxes, and setting forth the purpose for which said funds may be used."

Was taken up in its order.

Senator Gomez moved that the rules be waived and Senate Bill No. 1117 be read the second time by title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And Senate Bill No. 1117 was read the second time by title only.

Senator Gomez moved that the rules be further waived and Senate Bill No. 1117 be read the third time in full and put upon its passage.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And Senate Bill No. 1117 was read the third time in full.

Upon the passage of the bill the roll was called and the vote was:

Yeas—Mr. President; Senators Adams, Beacham, Butler, Clarke, Coulter, Dame, Gomez, Hinely, Hodges, Holland, Johns, Kanner, Kelly, Kendrick, McKenzie, Murphy, Nordman, Parker, Parrish, Rose, Savage, Sharit, Sweger, Tervin, Tillman, Touchton, Walker, Westbrook, Wynn—30.

Nays—None.

So the bill passed, title as stated, and the action of the Senate was ordered to be certified to the House of Representatives.

Senate Bill No. 1103:

A bill to be entitled An Act to provide for referendum elections, on petition, in Dade County, Florida, to determine

whether the voters of said county desire to revoke a permit or permits granted for conducting horse or dog track meetings, or horse or dog racing in said county when legalized under Chapter 14832, Acts of 1931, Laws of Florida, as amended; and to void one or more of such permits on the affirmative vote of the voters of said county favoring such action.

Was taken up in its order.

Senator Graham moved that the rules be waived and Senate Bill No. 1103 be read the second time by title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And Senate Bill No. 1103 was read the second time by title only.

Senator Graham moved that the rules be further waived and Senate Bill No. 1103 be read the third time in full and put upon its passage.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And Senate Bill No. 1103 was read the third time in full.

Upon the passage of the bill the roll was called and the vote was:

Yeas—Mr. President; Senators Adams, Beacham, Butler, Clarke, Coulter, Dame, Gomez, Hinely, Hodges, Holland, Johns, Kanner, Kelly, Kendrick, McKenzie, Murphy, Nordman, Parker, Parrish, Rose, Savage, Sharit, Sweger, Tervin, Tillman, Touchton, Walker, Westbrook, Wynn—30.

Nays—None.

So the bill passed, title as stated, and the action of the Senate was ordered to be certified to the House of Representatives.

Senate Bill No. 1098:

A bill to be entitled An Act authorizing, directing and requiring the Board of County Commissioners of Walton County, Florida, to convert, apportion and pay over to the Board of Public Instruction of Walton County, Florida, to be placed in the County School Fund of said county and used for general school purposes, the sum of \$6,500 received by said county under the provisions of and resulting from, Chapter 14832, Laws of Florida, 1931, or any laws amendatory or supplemental thereto, with reference to licensed race tracks, and repealing all laws in conflict herewith.

Was taken up in its order.

Senator Hodges moved that the rules be waived and Senate Bill No. 1098 be read the second time by title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And Senate Bill No. 1098 was read the second time by title only.

Senator Hodges moved that the rules be further waived and Senate Bill No. 1098 be read the third time in full and put upon its passage.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And Senate Bill No. 1098 was read the third time in full.

Upon the passage of the bill the roll was called and the vote was:

Yeas—Mr. President; Senators Adams, Beacham, Butler, Clarke, Coulter, Dame, Gomez, Hinely, Hodges, Holland, Johns, Kanner, Kelly, Kendrick, McKenzie, Murphy, Nordman, Parker, Parrish, Rose, Savage, Sharit, Sweger, Tervin, Tillman, Touchton, Walker, Westbrook, Wynn—30.

Nays—None.

So the bill passed, title as stated, and the action of the Senate was ordered to be certified to the House of Representatives.

Senate Bill No. 1100:

A bill to be entitled An Act to amend territorial boundaries of the City of Port Tampa, Florida, as originally set forth in Section 1, Chapter 4299, Laws of Florida, Acts of 1893, as amended by Section 1 of Chapter 5084, Laws of Florida, Acts of 1901.

Was taken up in its order.

Senator Tillman moved that the rules be waived and Senate Bill No. 1100 be read the second time by title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And Senate Bill No. 1100 was read the second time by title only.

Senator Tillman moved that the rules be further waived and Senate Bill No. 1100 be read the third time in full and put upon its passage.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And Senate Bill No. 1100 was read the third time in full.

Upon the passage of the bill the roll was called and the vote was:

Yeas—Mr. President; Senators Adams, Beacham, Butler, Clarke, Coulter, Dame, Gomez, Hinely, Hodges, Holland, Johns, Kanner, Kelly, Kendrick, McKenzie, Murphy, Nordman, Parker, Parrish, Rose, Savage, Sharit, Sweger, Tervin, Tillman, Touchton, Walker, Westbrook, Wynn—30.

Nays—None.

So the bill passed, title as stated, and the action of the Senate was ordered to be certified to the House of Representatives.

Senate Bill No. 1102 was taken up in its order and the consideration thereof was informally passed.

Senate Bill No. 1107:

A bill to be entitled An Act to make unlawful the sale, barter or exchange within any county of the State of Florida having a population of not less than 6,550 and not more than 6,600, according to the State Census of 1935, of any species of fish other than catfish that are indigenous to the fresh waters of any such county in the State; and to declare the sale of any fish of such species within such counties to be a misdemeanor and to provide a penalty therefor.

Was taken up in its order.

Senator Walker moved that the rules be waived and Senate Bill No. 1107 be read the second time by title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And Senate Bill No. 1107 was read the second time by title only.

Senator Walker moved that the rules be further waived and Senate Bill No. 1107 be read the third time in full and put upon its passage.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And Senate Bill No. 1107 was read the third time in full.

Upon the passage of the bill the roll was called and the vote was:

Yeas—Mr. President; Senators Adams, Beacham, Butler, Clarke, Coulter, Dame, Gomez, Hinely, Hodges, Holland, Johns, Kanner, Kelly, Kendrick, McKenzie, Murphy, Nordman, Parker, Parrish, Rose, Savage, Sharit, Sweger, Tervin, Tillman, Touchton, Walker, Westbrook, Wynn—30.

Nays—None.

So the bill passed, title as stated, and the action of the Senate was ordered to be certified to the House of Representatives.

Senate Bill No. 1108:

A bill to be entitled An Act to provide for the disposition of all funds that are now or may hereafter be due Wakulla County, Florida, from race track funds under the provisions of Chapter 14832, Laws of Florida, Acts of 1931, and any Acts amendatory thereof or supplemental thereto, or any other race track Acts.

Was taken up in its order.

Senator Walker moved that the rules be waived and Senate Bill No. 1108 be read the second time by title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And Senate Bill No. 1108 was read the second time by title only.

Senator Walker moved that the rules be further waived and Senate Bill No. 1108 be read the third time in full and put upon its passage.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And Senate Bill No. 1108 was read the third time in full.

Upon the passage of the bill the roll was called and the vote was:

Yeas—Mr. President; Senators Adams, Beacham, Butler, Clarke, Coulter, Dame, Gomez, Hinely, Hodges, Holland, Johns, Kanner, Kelly, Kendrick, McKenzie, Murphy, Nordman, Parker, Parrish, Rose, Savage, Sharit, Sweger, Tervin, Tillman, Touchton, Walker, Westbrook, Wynn—30.

Nays—None.

So the bill passed, title as stated, and the action of the Senate was ordered to be certified to the House of Representatives.

Senate Bill No. 1109:

A bill to be entitled An Act to prohibit the running or roaming at large of domestic livestock within certain territory, bounded and described in this Act; to provide for the impounding and sale of such livestock so running or roaming at large therein and providing for the enforcement of this Act; to provide penalties for the violation of this Act; to require the fencing of certain boundaries, and for the purpose of this Act to define livestock; and to authorize and empower the County Commissioners of St. Johns County to construct fences and cattle guards.

Was taken up in its order.

Senator Kendrick moved that the rules be waived and Senate Bill No. 1109 be read the second time by title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And Senate Bill No. 1109 was read the second time by title only.

Senator Kendrick moved that the rules be further waived and Senate Bill No. 1109 be read the third time in full and put upon its passage.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And Senate Bill No. 1109 was read the third time in full.

Upon the passage of the bill the roll was called and the vote was:

Yeas—Mr. President; Senators Adams, Beacham, Butler, Clarke, Dame, Gomez, Hinely, Hodges, Holland, Johns, Kanner, Kelly, Kendrick, McKenzie, Murphy, Nordman, Parker, Parrish, Rose, Savage, Sharit, Sweger, Tervin, Tillman, Touchton, Walker, Westbrook, Wynn—29.

Nays—Senator Coulter—1.

So the bill passed, title as stated, and the action of the Senate was ordered to be certified to the House of Representatives.

Senate Bill No. 1110:

A bill to be entitled An Act to authorize the Board of County Commissioners of Orange County, Florida, to cancel State and County taxes and tax certificates on certain property on condition that the same be conveyed to the City of Winter Park for public park and recreational purposes, and to prescribe the duties of the County Tax Collector and Clerk of the Circuit Court in that regard.

Was taken up in its order.

Senator Rose moved that the rules be waived and Senate Bill No. 1110 be read the second time by title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And Senate Bill No. 1110 was read the second time by title only.

Senator Rose moved that the rules be further waived and Senate Bill No. 1110 be read the third time in full and put upon its passage.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And Senate Bill No. 1110 was read the third time in full.

Upon the passage of the bill the roll was called and the vote was:

Yeas—Mr. President; Senators Adams, Beacham, Butler, Clarke, Coulter, Dame, Gomez, Hinely, Hodges, Holland, Johns, Kanner, Kelly, Kendrick, McKenzie, Murphy, Nordman, Parker, Parrish, Rose, Savage, Sharit, Sweger, Tervin, Tillman, Touchton, Walker, Westbrook, Wynn—30.

Nays—None.

So the bill passed, title as stated, and the action of the Senate was ordered to be certified to the House of Representatives.

By Senator Coulter—

Senate Bill No. 1106:

A bill to be entitled An Act to abolish the Town of Cedar Key, in Levy County, Florida, to whatever extent the said town may be existing under the General Laws of Florida providing for the incorporation of cities and towns, or under Chapter 6673, Laws of Florida, Special Acts of 1913; to abolish the City of Cedar Key in the said county, to whatever extent the said city may be existing under Chapter 9698, Laws of Florida, Special Acts of 1923; to create, establish and incorporate, in the said county, as successor to the said town and the said city, and each of them, a new municipal corporation of the State of Florida, to be known and designated as "City of Cedar Key," to define the territorial boundaries of the said new municipal corporation to provide a form of government for the said new municipal corporation, and to

provide for its jurisdiction, powers, franchises and privileges; to designate and appoint the first mayor and the first members of the City Council of the said new municipal corporation, and define their respective terms of office; to provide for the election, qualification and terms of office of all subsequent mayors and councilmen of the said new municipal corporation; to authorize the said City Council, in its discretion, to create, and by appointment, fill the office of City Manager of the said new municipal corporation, and prescribe the powers and duties of such City Manager; to authorize the said City Council, in its discretion, to create, and by appointment, fill the offices of City Clerk, City Tax Assessor, City Tax Collector, City Treasurer, and such other or further administrative offices of the new municipal corporation, as it may deem advisable, from its own body, or otherwise; to authorize the said City Council, in its discretion, to combine any two or more of the said appointive offices in such manner that the appointive offices so combined may be filled and administered by one and the same person; to authorize the said City Council, in its discretion, to abolish any one or more of the said appointive offices, or to separate any such appointive office from any other with which it may have been combined; to authorize the said City Council to fix, from time to time, the compensation of the holder or holders of all such appointive offices, and, at any such time as it may deem proper, to remove any holder or holders of such appointive offices; to regulate elections in the said municipal corporation; to prescribe the qualifications of voters in said elections and provide for the registration of said voters; to prescribe the oath to be taken by those desiring to register as voters; to prescribe the duties of election officers; to prescribe the manner of holding elections, counting ballots, canvassing returns of elections and recounting ballots used therein; to authorize ordinances prohibiting the making falsely of any oath or statement under oath provided for by this Act, and prohibiting the voting in any such election of any person not qualified to vote therein, and providing a penalty for the violation of such ordinances; to confer upon the said new municipal corporation power to make its own tax assessments, and to levy and collect all such taxes as may be necessary for its support and for payment of its debts and the debts of each of its predecessors, including bonds now or hereafter outstanding; to authorize the said new municipal corporation to impose and collect license and privilege taxes, or either, upon businesses, trades, professions and occupations, to the same extent that license and privilege taxes, or either, are now or may hereafter be imposed or collected thereon by the State of Florida, in amounts not exceeding those imposed or collected by the State of Florida, for State and county purposes; to authorize the said new municipal corporation to employ any and all methods and modes of procedure, for the collection of its unpaid taxes and assessments, or either, that are now or may be hereafter provided by the Laws of Florida for the collection of State and county taxes, or either, or by General Laws of Florida for the collection of taxes by cities and towns; to authorize the said new municipal corporation to acquire, own, construct, maintain and operate water works and pumping stations, within or without its corporate limits, and to install, own, maintain and operate pipe lines to and from all such water works and pumping stations, into or beyond its corporate limits, and to have all such rights, powers and rights of way as may be appropriate or incidental to such acquisition, ownership, construction, installation, maintenance or operation, including the power of eminent domain; to authorize the said new municipal corporation to construct or install municipal improvements, and provide for payment of the cost or expense thereof by means of special assessments against the property specially benefited thereby, for all or any part of such cost or expense; to vest in the said new municipal corporation the full legal and beneficial title to all property and assets of its predecessors, and each of them, together with the right of immediate enjoyment, possession, control and operation thereof; to charge the said new municipal corporation with all obligations and debts of its predecessors, and each of them, including bonds outstanding, and impose upon it liability for the payment thereof; to confer upon the said new municipal corporation full power and authority to refund all outstanding bonds issued by it or its successor, and each of them, such refunding operations to be conducted under and in the manner now or hereafter provided by General Laws of Florida for the refunding of outstanding bonds of cities or towns; to legalize, ratify and validate, in all respects, a certain refunding contract wherein the Town of Cedar Key, so existing as aforesaid, and the City of Cedar Key, so existing as aforesaid, are named as par-

ties of the first part, and L. W. Richardson, as trustee for such bondholders as may assent thereto, is named as party of the second part, providing for the issuance of \$143,000.00 of refunding bonds, to be dated July 1, 1937, to become due July 1, 1967, with interest thereon at 1% per annum for two years, 1½% per annum for two years, 2% per annum for two years, 3% per annum for two years, 4% per annum for five years, and 5% per annum thereafter until paid, for the purpose of refunding \$143,000.00 of Public Improvement Bonds, now outstanding, dated January 1, 1926, issued by the City of Cedar Key, so existing as aforesaid, bearing interest at 5½% per annum; to provide that the said new municipal corporation, as such successor, as aforesaid, shall become and be substituted as party of the first part, in and to the said refunding contract, and to impose upon the said new municipal corporation the duty, obligation and liability of carrying out, complying with and fully abiding by each and every of the terms and provisions of the said refunding contract, as such substituted party of the first part, to whatever extent the same may not have been carried out, complied with or abided by at the time this Act shall become a law; to legalize, ratify and validate, in all respects, all resolutions and ordinances of the Town of Cedar Key, so existing as aforesaid, and all resolutions and ordinances of the City of Cedar Key, so existing as aforesaid, adopted, passed, enacted or approved, prior to the time this Act shall become a law, relating to or in furtherance of the purposes of the said refunding contract; to legalize, ratify and validate, in all respects, all Acts and actions of all officials, officers, agents and governing bodies of the Town of Cedar Key, so existing as aforesaid, and the City of Cedar Key, so existing as aforesaid, and each of them, prior to the time this Act shall become a law, relating to or in furtherance of the purposes of the said refunding contract; to remit, cancel, annul and declare void all uncollected taxes heretofore levied or assessed by the Town of Cedar Key, so existing as aforesaid, and the City of Cedar Key, so existing as aforesaid, or either of them, except such taxes as they, or either of them, may have levied in compliance with peremptory writs of mandamus; to confer upon the said municipal corporation and its governing body and officials, whether elected or appointed, all rights, powers, authority, privileges and immunities, and to impose upon the said new municipal corporation and its governing body and officials, whether elected or appointed, all duties and obligations, now or hereafter conferred or imposed upon cities and towns in the State of Florida, and their governing bodies and officials, by all General Laws of Florida relating thereto, not inconsistent or in conflict with the special provisions of this Act; and to provide that if any word, clause, phrase, expression, sentence, paragraph or section of this Act shall be held invalid, the invalidity thereof shall not impair or affect the remainder thereof, or any part of such remainder.

Was taken up in its order.

Senator Coulter moved that the rules be waived and Senate Bill No. 1106 be read the second time by title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And Senate Bill No. 1106 was read the second time by title only.

Senator Coulter moved that the rules be further waived and Senate Bill No. 1106 be read the third time in full and put upon its passage.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And Senate Bill No. 1106 was read the third time in full.

Upon the passage of the bill the roll was called and the vote was:

Yeas—Mr. President; Senators Adams, Beacham, Butler, Clarke, Coulter, Dame, Gomez, Hinely, Hodges, Holland, Johns, Kanner, Kelly, Kendrick, McKenzie, Murphy, Nordman, Parker, Parrish, Rose, Savage, Sharit, Sweger, Tervin, Tillman, Touchton, Walker, Westbrook, Wynn—30.

Nays—None.

So the bill passed, title as stated, and the action of the Senate was ordered to be certified to the House of Representatives.

Senate Bill No. 1121:

A bill to be entitled An Act providing for the cancellation of all outstanding tax sale certificates and tax liens owned and held by the State of Florida, the County of Hillsborough, and other taxing districts of the County of Hillsborough, and enabling the City of Tampa to cancel all outstanding tax sale certificates, tax liens, and assessments for paving, owned and

held by the City of Tampa, on certain lands in Hillsborough County, Florida.

Was taken up in its order.

Senator Tillman moved that the rules be waived and Senate Bill No. 1121 be read the second time by title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And Senate Bill No. 1121 was read the second time by title only.

Senator Tillman moved that the rules be further waived and Senate Bill No. 1121 be read the third time in full and put upon its passage.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And Senate Bill No. 1121 was read the third time in full.

Upon the passage of the bill the roll was called and the vote was:

Yeas—Mr. President; Senators Adams, Beacham, Butler, Clarke, Coulter, Dame, Gomez, Hinely, Hodges, Holland, Johns, Kanner, Kelly, Kendrick, McKenzie, Murphy, Nordman, Parker, Parrish, Rose, Savage, Sharit, Sweger, Tervin, Tillman, Touchton, Walker, Westbrook, Wynn—30.

Nays—None.

So the bill passed, title as stated, and the action of the Senate was ordered to be certified to the House of Representatives.

Senate Bill No. 1123:

A bill to be entitled An Act fixing the compensation of the Board of County Commissioners and the Chairman thereof of Hardee County, Florida.

Was taken up in its order.

Senator Murphy moved that the rules be waived and Senate Bill No. 1123 be read the second time by title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And Senate Bill No. 1123 was read the second time by title only.

Senator Murphy moved that the rules be further waived and Senate Bill No. 1123 be read the third time in full and put upon its passage.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And Senate Bill No. 1123 was read the third time in full.

Upon the passage of the bill the roll was called and the vote was:

Yeas—Mr. President; Senators Adams, Beacham, Butler, Clarke, Coulter, Dame, Gomez, Hinely, Hodges, Holland, Johns, Kanner, Kelly, Kendrick, McKenzie, Murphy, Nordman, Parker, Parrish, Rose, Savage, Sharit, Sweger, Tervin, Tillman, Touchton, Walker, Westbrook, Wynn—30.

Nays—None.

So the bill passed, title as stated, and the action of the Senate was ordered to be certified to the House of Representatives.

Senate Bill No. 1124:

A bill to be entitled An Act providing for and relating to the eradication of the southern cattle fever tick, by dipping or otherwise in counties having a population of not less than 4,500, nor more than 5,000, persons according to the 1935 State Census.

Was taken up in its order.

Senator Gomez moved that the rules be waived and Senate Bill No. 1124 be read the second time by title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And Senate Bill No. 1124 was read the second time by title only.

Senator Gomez moved that the rules be further waived and Senate Bill No. 1124 be read the third time in full and put upon its passage.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And Senate Bill No. 1124 was read the third time in full.

Upon the passage of the bill the roll was called and the vote was:

Yeas—Mr. President; Senators Adams, Beacham, Butler, Clarke, Coulter, Dame, Gomez, Hinely, Hodges, Holland, Johns, Kanner, Kelly, Kendrick, McKenzie, Murphy, Nordman, Parker, Parrish, Rose, Savage, Sharit, Sweger, Tervin, Tillman, Touchton, Walker, Westbrook, Wynn—30.

Nays—None.

So the bill passed, title as stated, and the action of the